

FIRST ARMY DRIVES AHEAD

Pushes Eastward From Remagen Bridgehead On Rhine

Another Major Rhine Crossing Believed Near

Canadian And British Troops May Be Preparing To Smash Across Rhine

DORTMUND LIKELY FIRST OBJECTIVE

By J. C. OESTREICHER
(U.S. Staff Correspondent)

A major new crossing of the Rhine by British and Canadian troops deployed in vast strength on the western bank of the river in the region of Wesel became an imminent new possibility today with continued expansion of the American First Army bridgehead east of Remagen.

While battlefield dispatches told of steady First Army progress toward the broad concrete super-highway that connects Cologne with Frankfurt-on-the-Main, a survey of the present situation on all fronts emphasized the likelihood of an early British thrust over the Rhine.

Another phase of offensive And in all probabilities this will be but one phase in another coordinated Allied offensive destined to move the entire arena of battle from western Germany across the river to the cities, roads, rivers and highways which lead to the Reich's central core.

Strongest evidence of an early British-Canadian attack from Wesel was seen in recent violent Allied air onslaughts against Dortmund, the obvious initial objective of such a drive. Reconnaissance photographs showed Dortmund largely in ruins and elimination of this ancient and heavily fortified city as an obstacle to Allied progress will greatly facilitate the Ruhr valley by encirclement rather than frontal attack.

Nazis Fail To Destroy Bridge The Nazis threw all their available aircraft against the Ludendorff bridge at Remagen, which still stood intact despite numerous hits and afforded a gap for a steady stream of reinforcements and supplies pouring over to the eastern bank of the Rhine.

German broadcasts admitted loss
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PA NEWC Observes

This is a big day for the officials and employees of the Standard Steel Springs company. Their war efforts are being rewarded by presentation of the Army-Navy E.

Thursday is the final day for making income tax reports. In case it has slipped your mind, there are several reports for many taxpayers to be turned in on that day. If they have not as yet been submitted.

Red Cross war fund drive workers in Lawrence county are making good progress in the annual campaign to reach the county's quota. If you are not as yet enured to see it at once that your name is on the list.

Must be in the midst of the chicken hatching season, judging from the sounds being heard around the post office. Apparently many of the recently hatched chicks are being transported through the parcels post service.

Years ago, "Clean Up and Paint Up" week commenced with April 1. With pleasant weather during the past week many property owners have commenced to clean yards. Although there was a scarcity of coal.

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Daily Weather Report

United States weather statistics for the 24-hour period ending at 9 a.m. today follow:
Maximum temperature, 47.
Minimum temperature, 23.
Precipitation, .06 inches.
River stage, 72 feet.
Statistics for the same date a year ago follow:
Maximum temperature, 57.
Minimum temperature, 32.
No precipitation.

NAZI VEHICLES COME IN HANDY



Piling into German half-tracks and other vehicles captured by the Yanks, these infantrymen of the U. S. 3rd Army get ready to start their last big push to the Rhine. The armored units were taken intact when Gen. Patton's forces made the spectacular push toward Koblenz and a juncture with the 9th Army. Signal Corps photo.

Hitler's Own Resort City Taken By Yanks

By LEE CARSON
(U.S. Staff Correspondent)

BAD GODESBURG, Germany, March 13.—Fashionable and picturesque Bad Godesburg, just captured by the American First Army, today is haunted by swarming ghosts of Adolf Hitler and the fateful conclave of 1938 that sent former British Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain hurrying to Munich.

The ship-lined streets of this resort town and the Dreesen hotel perched prettily on the banks of the Rhine still echo with the heeling and loud laughter of Hitler's bemuddled entourage.

Only faintly scarred The city was taken so swiftly by the Americans that it was scarred only faintly by war. Business as usual is the theme, and nobody seems to quite believe it's true that the Americans have come right in to Hitler's own resort city.

With a little imagination, the ghosts of Nazism are almost visible in the handsome Dreesen hotel, a building of French chateau-type architecture with a Mansard roof.

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One Is Killed, Three Hurt When Train Hits Car Of Girl Workers

INDIANA, Pa., March 13.—(INS)—Three women war workers today were in Indiana hospital after a train struck the automobile in which they were riding, killing a fourth passenger.

According to hospital attaches, Vivian Steffy, 19, Homer City, was in serious condition with possible fractured ribs and a pelvic injury. Elizabeth Baker, 42, also of Homer City, was in serious condition with head injuries.

Driver of the car, Eileen Lebegood, 19, Blairsville, suffered facial lacerations and bruises, hospital attendants stated.

Evelyn McGinty, 22, Blairsville, was killed instantly, state police said, when she attempted to jump from the car. Alice Bennett, 19, Blairsville, suffered only shock.

The accident occurred as the five women were on their way home from work at the Paragon company plant in White township, state police declared.

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CANDY FACTORY WORKERS SENT TO WAR PLANTS

PHILADELPHIA, March 13.—(INS)—Nine industrial draftees from the Stephen F. Whitman & Son, Inc., candy factory reported today to work at the top priority war jobs assigned them by the War Manpower Commission under the war service transfer plan.

The nine, vanguard of 193 men screened from 25 confectionery firms, were put to work at Cramp Shipyard, the Pennsylvania railroad, the Electric Storage Battery company and the Fleetways division of Kaiser Cargo, Inc.

Marines Smash At Last Pocket Of Japs On Iwo

By JOSEPH A. BORS
(U.S. Staff Correspondent)

ADVANCED PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, Guam, March 13.—United States Marines hacked away today at remaining pockets of Japanese troops, stubbornly holding entrenched positions on the northern end of Iwo Jima.

With complete conquest of the bitterly defended island in sight after more than three weeks of the bloodiest fighting of the Pacific war, a communique announced that the Fifth Marine Division, further compressed the enemy into an ever-shrinking pocket on the rugged northern plateau despite stiff resistance.

In the Third and Fourth division sectors, on the center and the right mopping-up operations were in progress.

Seek To Force Japs Into Open

Mention of mopping-up operations in the communique indicated that, with the end of the battle in sight, the Marines may be gearing down their advance in the hope of forcing the remaining Japs to commit themselves in a move from their caves and holes, where under ordinary circumstances they may hold out for some time.

Remnants of the Japanese garrison, originally believed to number more than 20,000 but now reduced by more than two-thirds of that figure, were beset not only by the hard-charging Marines but also by coordinated attacks by army fighter planes and bombardment by American warships standing off the island.

MAID ON TRIAL FOR DEATH OF HER EMPLOYER

PHILADELPHIA, March 13.—(INS)—Corinne Sykes, 20-year-old negro maid, sat sullen and unmoved today in the Philadelphia court room where the jury was being chosen to determine whether she will pay with her life for the slaying of her employer, Mrs. Frieda Wodlinger.

Nine of the 12 jurors and two alternates were selected yesterday, the first day of the trial before Judge Vincent A. Carroll in the standing-room-only court room. Mrs. Adeline C. Hyde, a housewife, was selected foreman.

The maid was arrested last December 9, two days after Mrs. Wodlinger was found brutally slain by a butcher knife in her fashionable Oak Lane home. One of the victim's fingers had almost been severed by her assailant in ripping off a diamond ring.

MORE TOWNS TAKEN

LONDON, March 13.—(INS)—The German high command admitted today that the American First Army has occupied several more towns and important heights in the Remagen bridgehead across the Rhine.

CLEARED OF GERMANS

NEW YORK, March 13.—(INS)—Hoenningen, in the Remagen bridgehead, has been cleared of German troops, BBC reported today in a broadcast heard by CBS.

Berlin Is Again Given Pounding

LONDON, March 13.—(INS)—Swift RAF Mosquito bombers again hammered Berlin last night with two-ton "blockbuster" bombs, the British air ministry announced today.

The attack on Berlin followed devastating sweeps over Germany during the daylight hours Monday by British and American warplanes which plastered Nazi installations and communications with 9,290 tons of bombs.

U.S. Forces In Mindanao Are Driving Ahead

Japs Apparently Badly Surprised By Attack, Unable To Organize Effectively

By FRANK ROBERTSON
(U.S. Staff Correspondent)

GEN. MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS, Luzon, March 13.—The United States Eighth Army's 41st Division Infantrymen smashed forward today against surprised and disorganized Japanese troops on the Zamboanga peninsula with the principal city of southwestern Mindanao and the big San Roque air-drome already in American hands.

Within three days from the time of their lightning-like thrust into the last strategic Jap-held territory in the southern Philippines, the veteran American Doughboys under the immediate command of Maj. Gen. Jens A. Doe overran elaborate steel and concrete defensive positions, adding Zamboanga City and the San Roque air-drome with its 4,000-foot bomber strip to the four coastal towns and the Wolfe airstrip captured immediately after they stormed ashore Saturday.

Enemy Disorganized Gen. Douglas MacArthur hailed the progress of the American campaign to smash warring Japanese strength in the Philippines in a communique which said the enemy "has still been unable to effectively organize his forces."

Air and naval units supported the advance of the American forces on the Zamboanga peninsula and light reconnaissance planes were already using captured airstrips to spot enemy positions and direct artillery operations.

Seventh Fleet warships also pounded little Basilan Island, while

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Blames Washington For Labor Unrest In Detroit, Michigan

LANSING, March 13.—(INS)—Blaming Washington for Detroit's labor unrest, Gov. Harry F. Kelly of Michigan today delivered a bitter verbal attack against the national administration.

Kelly called for a "clear-cut national labor policy" and predicted that Detroit's labor-management strife will eat away the core of democracy unless harnessed by a definite policy.

"We don't want the fighting to start at home after the fighting stops across the sea," he declared. "It is not strange to be talking about our part in creating world peace if we cannot create this kind of peace at home."

Kelly heartily endorsed the Mead committee investigation in Detroit which has heard management testimony charging loafing in war plants as well as union claims of labor hoarding on the part of management. Each has accused the other of fomenting strikes.

Both management and labor told the Mead committee that an inadequate government labor policy has contributed to workers' insecurity and discontent resulting in continuous strife.

The governor, a Republican, said he has read enough in two days "to show me that the nation needs a labor policy."

JAPANESE TEST DEFENSE GUNS

NEW YORK, March 13.—(INS)—With Japan suffering from invasion jitters, the Japanese army for the last three days has been engaged in firing practice on Irago Point, at the entrance of the bay leading to Nagoya, the Tokyo radio disclosed in a domestic broadcast reported today by the FCC.

The broadcast said the army had issued a warning to shipping that an area within about six and a quarter miles of the coast would be a "danger zone" for the three-day period from Sunday through Tuesday, between the hours of eight a.m. and four p.m.

Red Army Forces Appear Ready For Drive On Berlin

Fall Of Kuestrin Appears To Open Way To Final Surge On Nazi Capital

RUSSIANS PLUNGE ON TOWARD BALTIC

By NATALIA RENE
(U.S. Staff Correspondent)

MOSCOW, March 13.—Victorious Red army forces appeared today to be ready for the final drive on Berlin as they surged through the crumbled and corpse-strewn ruins of the once-mighty fortress city of Kuestrin, which had guarded the eastern approaches to the German capital at the confluence of the Oder and Warthe rivers.

The way was cleared for a direct assault on Berlin when troops of Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's First White Russian army captured Kuestrin yesterday, after several days of violent street fighting.

Battling Is Fierce Fierceness of the fighting was indicated by the Soviet communique which added few details to Premier Marshal Joseph Stalin's order of the day reporting the fall of the Oder fortress.

The communique said that the Germans had converted all stone buildings in the city, which had a peacetime population of about 22,000, into firing points and had filled the streets with minefields, barricades and tank traps. The streets, the communique said, were literally paved with German corpses.

A Russian war correspondent was quoted by the British radio as saying that in taking the town "the Russians carried out one of their favorite occupation movements. One

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Sgt. Senheiser Returns Home

Tail Gunner On Bomber, Interned By Swiss, Has Returned To Home After Release

First of the flyers from the local district to be repatriated from Switzerland, S-Sgt. George A. Senheiser, son of Mrs. Lillian Senheiser of R. D. 1, has arrived at his home here. He was serving as tail gunner on a bomber when shot down over Switzerland on April 24, 1944.

Because of the military secrecy imposed on those who have been interned in Switzerland until the end of the war with Germany, Sgt. Senheiser is unable to say anything about his experiences. He landed at LaGuardia field recently and then came on to his home here as soon as he was able, glad at last to get his feet under his mother's table again and to sleep in his bed.

Sgt. Senheiser was wounded in the action which resulted in his bomber being downed, and because of this fact was repatriated. He still walks with the use of canes.

He has been in service for 30 months, serving in Attu and Kiska under the air forces and after returning from there was an instructor at Dyersburg, Tenn. He volunteered for overseas duty again, and went to England 14 months ago. He holds the distinguished flying cross, air medal, purple heart and presidential citations for his air exploits.

Fifth Army Troops Take Italian Height

ROME, March 13.—(INS)—Veteran Fifth Army troops captured another height, Mount Spigolino, in fighting through rugged mountainous terrain west of the Pistoia-Bologna highway. Allied headquarters announced today.

On the rest of the Italian front patrols were active.

The official statement reported that three, and probably four, enemy lighters were bagged by American PT boats operating in the Gulf of Genoa off Mesco Point, northwest of Spezia.

Two lighters were torpedoed and sunk, a third hit and a fourth probably hit when the speedy U. S. craft attacked the northbound convoy.

Decisive Moves In War Against Japan May Develop Soon

By CAPTAIN JOHN H. CRAIGIE
(Written Especially For International News Service)

What happens next in Uncle Sam's war with Japan? That is the fateful question on which public attention in the United States is focusing. With American troops across the Rhine and Red army detachments reported a little less than 30 miles from Berlin, it is becoming increasingly apparent that the time is drawing near when America will be able to concentrate its full air, naval and military might against the empire of the Mikado and public interest is mounting as to just how that power is likely to be employed.

Momentous Decisions

There are abundant signs, also, that the future of the Pacific war is now engaging the attention of the highest circles of the United Nations high command and that momentous decisions as to its course are being made.

During the past few days a galaxy of high ranking officers of the Army and Navy, including the famous top-commanders of many of the nation's most notable fighting organizations has appeared in Washington.

Obviously, all these high ranking gentlemen did not journey half-way around the world for their health.

Decisive Juncture The present time is a decisive juncture in our war with Japan. We are approaching the completion of a strategic phase based on the ancient principles of attrition and

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Nazi Pocket Of Resistance Being Reduced

By LARRY NEWMAN
(U.S. Staff Correspondent)

WITH U. S. THIRD ARMY IN GERMANY, March 13.—Two infantry divisions of Lt. Gen. George S. Patton's U. S. Third Army cut down the German pocket of resistance north of the Moselle river until today it consisted of an area six miles wide and four miles deep.

The enemy resistance north of the river was practically finished. In this sector the fifth infantry division advanced up to five miles while another third unit advanced two miles to the southeast and isolated the German-held area to a stretch between Kochem and Bullay.

28 and 28 miles south of Coblenz.

Flanking Saar

Infantry of the third army continued attacks flanking the Saar regions east of Saarburg and southeast of Trier, gaining up to one mile.

The 94th division crossed the River river south of Trier and advanced up to one mile against light enemy resistance.

In the area seven miles east of Trier the Germans laid down 4,500 rounds of artillery, mortar and rocket fire in one 24-hour period against a cavalry unit.

It was the heaviest concentration of enemy fire in many months against the third army.

The third army processed 4,603 prisoners yesterday, a backlog of German captives from the Rhine. Many hundreds more were still jammed at the front in cages waiting for removal.

SIGNS SALARY MEASURE

HARRISBURG, March 13.—(INS)—A measure appropriating \$2,422,000 to assure payments of the \$100 to \$300 annual cost-of-living salary increases for more than 61,000 teachers during the remainder of the current biennium expiring May 31, was signed today by Gov. Edward Martin.

The bill, sponsored by Rep. John N. Hoffman (R) Northampton, allocated funds in addition to the \$2,300,000 earmarked for the wage boosts by the General Assembly in 1943.

PROBE WOMAN'S DEATH

PHILADELPHIA, March 13.—(INS)—An autopsy was ordered today into the death of Mrs. Rose Allen Thomson, central figure in a murder trial 13 years ago, who was found dead in her home in the fashionable Mt. Airy section of Philadelphia.

Police, summoned by Mrs. Thomson's nine-year-old son, found the socialite dead in bed with a bottle believed to contain sleeping tablets nearby.

DEATH RECORD

Tuesday, March 13, 1945

Charles P. Irwin, 77, 835 Franklin avenue.

Andrew Burles, 77, 1115 Sciota street.

William Ford Aiken, 53, Shenango township.

Miss Ann Dandrea, 18, Volant R. D.

Americans Are Seeking To Cut Superhighway

Surging Toward Cologne To Frankfurt Main Highway In Bridgehead Advance

BRIDGEHEAD NOW FIVE MILES DEEP

By JAMES L. KILGALLIN
(U.S. Staff Correspondent)

PARIS, March 13.—Less than two miles from the great four-lane concrete motor highway leading to the Ruhr valley, United States First Army troops expanding the Remagen bridgehead fanned out against increasing enemy opposition today.

The Germans unleashed heavy artillery in place of the medium and light fire used formerly and made other frantic attempts to stem the American advance.

These measures were of a purely defensive nature, however. The best the enemy would offer were localized counter-attacks aimed at "containing" the bridgehead if possible rather than representing any concerted move to hurl the vastly augmented American forces back across the Rhine.

Bridgehead Five Miles Deep

Troops driving eastward from their Remagen bridgehead across the Rhine to sever the superhighway from Cologne to Frankfurt thrust today to within two miles of that autobahn.

Late front dispatches indicated the bridgehead was widened to a depth of five miles and reported that 600 Nazi troops were trapped inside the village of Hoenningen by the speed of the American thrust.

Some Resistance Heavy

Infantrymen over-ran high ground commanding Hoenningen and the surrounding countryside against only light opposition. Resistance in the northern edge of the

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Claim Kolberg Now Evacuated

NEW YORK, March 13.—(INS)—The German radio, in a broadcast heard by the FCC, said today that "almost all" the civilian population of Kolberg, German Baltic port northeast of Stettin, had been evacuated.

The evacuation of the city which is encircled by troops of the Second White Russian army was made possible, the broadcast said, by the "brave stand of Kolberg's defenders." The broadcast added that the city's harbor had been under Russian fire.

REPORT INCREASE OF GUARD AROUND HESS

LONDON, March 13.—(INS)—British officials announced today that the guard around the bungalow in which Rudolf Hess, ex-deputy Nazi Fuehrer, is being held, has been increased following the escape of 70 German prisoners.

Arthur Mommer



There's joy upon the golfer's face, and longing in his eye, he hopes to see the warming sun that makes the fairway dry. He sets aside that dream of snow we had for many weeks, he shudders as he thinks of ice that blanketed the creeks. He's waiting for the call to arms, his arms a set of clubs that he can shoulder and proceed to challenge other clubs. And so he scans the morning sky and hopes the sun's not late. He wants to get outside and play, the weather's forty-eight.

Movie Strike Is Being Continued

HOLLYWOOD, March 13.—(INS)—Herbert K. Sorrell, leader of the jurisdictional strike that in one day closed down five of Hollywood's major studios today bluntly rejected an appeal from Chairman George W. Taylor of the War Labor Board for an end to the walkout.

Need Permits For Holding Any Large Non-Local Meetings

WASHINGTON, March 13.—(INS)—ODT Director J. Monroe Johnson said today that no exception could be granted to the provision that all groups, including religious organizations, must apply for permits before holding large, non-local meetings.

Johnson also head of the war convention committee, made his statement in reply to charges by the Rev. W. O. H. Garman, of Pittsburgh, secretary of the American Council of Christian Churches, that permits for religious meetings are "unconstitutional and smack of Nazism."

Johnson asserted that to exempt any group from the necessity of applying for a permit would be to endanger the convention control plan set up at the direction of War Mobilizer James F. Byrnes.

Johnson said he had not seen a letter of protest over the permit plan written by the Rev. Garman to Byrnes.

"However," the ODT chief continued, "if the state and war departments apply for permits to hold meetings as they do, there is no reason why the churches can't."

"As a matter of fact, we have had better co-operation on conventions from the churches than from any other group. We lean over backwards to permit church meetings to be held. Out of 50 recent convention applications granted, 32 were for church meetings."

'Baby Car Thieves' Use Soap And Saws To Make Jail Break

UNIONTOWN, Pa., March 13.—(INS)—Uniontown authorities today were searching for William Krepf, 16, of Royal, and George Grishnek, 15, of Keisterville, who broke out of the Fayette County jail.

The "baby automobile robbers" saved the bars of their cells on the third floor of the jail authorities said, and then glued them together with yellow soap until time to make their escape.

Police said the two boys were being held in connection with a number of car thefts and violation of parole.

Good News! Head Colds

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VICKS VA-TRO-NOL

DECISIVE MOVES IN WAR AGAINST JAPAN MAY DEVELOP SOON

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blockade in sea war. It has brought us important victories but not complete destruction to the foe. Now our bases are close enough to Japan and China so that it is possible for us to exchange our present strategy of attrition-war for one of mass attack by overpowering military forces, such as we are employing, against Germany.

Such attacks might result in very heavy casualties. But it is believed by the section of military opinion which favors them that they would end the war in a comparatively short time, and thus save lives in the long run.

Five Major Courses

According to unofficial opinion in United Nations circles five major strategic courses and possibilities confront American-British forces in the Far East during future states of the Japanese war. They are:

(A) Attrition by close naval blockade. When Gen. MacArthur's forces finish mopping up the Philippines and leapfrog to the China coast, sea blockade of Japan to the south and east will be complete. This may destroy her power to fight.

(B) Attrition by bombing. Already B-29s have smashed an estimated 20 per cent of Japanese war industries. Can they make it 100 per cent?

(C) Total war, with Russia furnishing the land troops.

(D) Total war, with American troops attacking Japanese cradles in China. The so-called "continental strategy."

(E) Total war, American amphibious landings on Japan's islands.

Each of these strategies will be discussed in a succeeding article.

Statements and opinions herein are private to the writer and are not to be construed as reflecting the view of the Navy Dept.

HITLER'S OWN RESORT CITY TAKEN BY YANKS

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The big lounge, with a wide plate glass window overlooking the Rhine, is where Chamberlain paced the floor while Hitler smiled and waited in his favorite wicker chair.

Hitler Signed Pact

The Hitler conferences took place in the upstairs rooms. There Hitler signed a pact with Italian Dictator Benito Mussolini and hoodwinked the British premier. In the biggest chair, at the head of a large table, Hitler sat and reigned over the destinies of millions of people.

The town's population decided almost as one man to come out of hiding and look at the Americans. There was a decidedly large number of men of obvious military age who were not in uniform, who greeted the Americans with stares that mixed bewilderment with resentment.

When the town was first taken the civilians rushed to the curbs with coffee pots, German cakes and frightened looks to welcome the "liberators," but it didn't have any effect on the Americans.

Just now, in Hitler's favorite town, there is a stunned, sleep-walking silence.

Deaths of the Day

Charles P. Irwin.

Charles P. Irwin, aged 77 years, of 835 Franklin avenue, died at his home, at 7:30 o'clock, this morning after a lingering illness of three years.

He was born in Shenango township, Lawrence County, February 9, 1868, son of the late Alexander B. and Belinda Shoof Irwin. He spent his entire lifetime in Lawrence County. He was a retired B. & O. car inspector.

He is survived by four children: Mrs. Kathryn Irwin Gaston, Ernest, Alexander B., and Lynn Irwin, all of this city; two sisters, Mrs. Mary Susan Zahmsier, this city; three grandchildren, and a great grandchild.

The deceased was preceded in death by his wife, Mrs. Josephine Kerr Irwin, on January 13, 1938.

The body is at the Ritchie funeral home, and funeral arrangements will be made later. Interment will be in Grace-land cemetery.

Miss Ann Dandrea

Miss Ann Dandrea, aged 18 years, of Volant R. D. died this morning at 5:45 o'clock in the Jameson Memorial hospital. She had been ill since February.

Miss Dandrea was born in Volant R. D. 2 January 27, 1927, daughter of John and Rose Choleco Dandrea. She was a member of the Beloved Disciple church, Grove City.

In addition to her parents, she leaves a brother, Pfc. Lewis Dandrea in Belgium, and a sister, Teresa, at home.

High mass of requiem will be offered Thursday morning at 9 o'clock in the Beloved Disciple church, Grove City, Rev. Fr. A. C. Quirk in charge.

Interment will be in Hallsville cemetery near Grove City. Friends call at the residence any time after 7 o'clock tonight.

Andrew Burlea

Andrew Burlea of 1115 Scoto street died at the age of 77 years Monday morning following an illness of complications.

Mr. Burlea was born in Rumania in 1868. He resided in New Castle for 38 years and was a retired steel worker. He was a member of the Albina Rumanian Benefit society.

His wife preceded him in death. Surviving are two daughters, in Rumania.

The body was taken to the Rumanian hall this morning from the Ritchie funeral home, where friends may call.

Funeral services will be from the hall Wednesday at four p. m. Rev. Nicholas Moldovan in charge. Interment will be in Greenwood cemetery.

William Ford Aiken

William Ford Aiken, aged 53 years, died at his home, Shenango township, Monday night at 10 o'clock, following an eight months' illness.

Mr. Aiken was the son of the late Solomon and Abbie Ford Aiken. He spent his entire life in Lawrence County, and was a member of the First Christian church in Ellwood City and the East New Castle Grange. He was employed at the Matvey Conveyor company.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Minnie Henson Aiken; a daughter, Mary Aiken, U. S. Army, Ft. Des Moines, Ia.; a foster daughter, Eleanor Mae Howell; three brothers: Thomas W. Aiken, Glassport; Charles R. and Owen W. Aiken of Wampum; a sister, Mrs. Bessie Smith, Ellwood City, R. D. 1.

The body is at the Marshall funeral home, where friends may call this evening 7 to 9 o'clock, and Wednesday, 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 o'clock. Funeral services will be held on Thursday at 3 p. m., from the Marshall funeral home, Wampum. Interment will be in Slippery Rock cemetery.

Mrs. Travata Funeral

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Travata of R. D. 4 were held Monday at 2:30 p. m. from the First Pentecostal church, Rev. Frank Maruso in charge.

A duet was sung by Daisy Yargo and Rose Pala, and a solo by Amelia DeFina, with Helen Parco as pianist.

Pallbearers were: James Lamb, Orville Aven, Sam Aven, Clarence Panerlio, Nathan Genone, Paul Panerlio.

Interment was in Greenwood cemetery.

Judith Woods Funeral

Funeral services for infant Judith Ann Woods were held from the residence, Pennsylvania avenue extension, Monday morning at 11 o'clock. Rev. Samuel Baker in charge.

Rev. and Mrs. Samuel Baker and Mrs. John Baker sang two selections during services.

Interment was in Grace-land cemetery.

Lawrence Turner Services

Funeral services for Lawrence Turner Sr. of 313 Crescent avenue, who died in the Ellwood City hospital Sunday morning, were held this morning at 9:45 from the Robert Garity funeral home, Ellwood City.

Following at 10 o'clock solemn requiem high mass was held at St.

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Agatha's R. C. church. Mass was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Fr. Robert Wilkey, with Fr. Francis Paul as deacon of the mass and Fr. Hugh Hassan as sub-deacon. Interment was made in St. Agatha's cemetery.

Pallbearers were James Morgan, James Fitzgerald, James McDermott, P. V. Cullinan Sr., William Miller and Joseph Kuben.

Bockius Funeral

Funeral services for William A. Bockius, son of John D. Elva Powers Bockius of R. D. 1, East New Castle, were conducted Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Howard L. Reynolds funeral home, Adams street, with Robert McNeil officiating. He was assisted by Rev. W. J. Holmes, Rev. R. J. Fredericks and Rev. A. Houk.

During the services two appropriate selections were sung by Lois and Dorothy McElrath, accompanied by Mrs. Mabel Kalamajainen.

Ralph Boole, Eddie Alms, Fred Ditter, Eddie McCowan, William Kalamajainen, Elmer Jokki, Jimmie Johnson and Charles Eakin, all students at Shenango consolidated school, acted as pallbearers.

Interment took place in Oak Park cemetery.

Burnside Funeral

Funeral services for William H. Burnside of 609 North Cascade street, were conducted Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Cunningham funeral home, East Washington and Chestnut streets, with Rev. J. Calvin Rose officiating.

Harold Miller, Clair Burnside, Glenn Moorehead, John Kerr, Kenneth and Wilbur Cameron acted as pallbearers.

Interment took place in Grace-land cemetery.

Capezuto funeral

High mass of requiem for John Capezuto, was offered from St. Lawrence church, Hillsville, Monday morning at 10 o'clock. Rev. Fr. Charles D. Galati in charge.

Pallbearers were: Louis Squella, Joe Candiello, Nick Palumbo, Carl Diana, John Stanish and John Sandoza.

Interment was in St. Lawrence cemetery.

AMERICANS ARE SEEKING TO CUT SUPERHIGHWAY

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bridgehead, however, was heavy and was described as mounting in the face of the steady eastward push.

Veteran infantry combat teams rode into battle atop tanks as Lieut. Gen. Courtney H. Hodges threw additional forces into the fray.

The German DNB agency reported that the Americans now have from four to five divisions across the bridgehead and have made "slight" gains toward the autobahn.

The enemy high command also acknowledged the loss of several towns and heights to the First Army.

Nazi Pocket Dwindles

To the south the U. S. Third Army of Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton hammered the dwindling Nazi pocket north of the Moselle, seizing control of all but a 10-mile strip of the 60-mile area between Coblenz and Trier.

A total of 4,008 Nazi prisoners were processed yesterday by the advancing Third Army and many hundreds jammed the prison cages at the front where they were awaiting removal to the rear.

The U. S. 94th division crossed the Ruwer river southeast of Trier, and made gains of a mile against light resistance. However, in the area seven miles east of Trier, the Germans laid down 4,100 rounds of artillery, mortar and rocket fire in 24 hours, marking one of the heaviest concentrations of enemy fire in this area for several months.

North of Gen. Hodges' bridgehead, the first American probe succeeded methodically with the difficult task of clearing the last pockets of Nazi resistance from the west bank of the Rhine and, according to Berlin, extended their offensive northward toward Nijmegen.

Canadians Prepare For Drive

Another German commentator declared that Canadian and British forces probably were preparing for a drive in the direction of northwestern Westphalia.

Nazi artillery subjected the American bridgehead at Remagen to a withering artillery fire until armstipped spearheads of infantry seized high ground from which the Germans had been spotting their targets.

After the capture of the German command post, the artillery barrage slackened noticeably and became increasingly erratic.

Several hits were made on the Ludendorff bridge across the Rhine at Remagen but damage was slight and Lee Corson International News Service correspondent, reported in a front dispatch that the unending stream of allied traffic across the span was not interrupted.

Larry Newman, International News Service correspondent with the U. S. third army, reported today that Gen. Patton's infantry continued flanking attacks in the Saar regions east of Saarburg and south of Trier, making gains of up to a mile.

Armored Columns Move

Allied supreme headquarters confirmed earlier reports that the Germans north of the Moselle had been compressed into a pocket extending from Coochen to Reil.

West of Coochen the third army forces captured Driesch and Lutzelrath while armored columns moved up to the vicinity of Reil. The town of Uzing, southwest of Wittlich was taken by the Americans, and the Germans were cleared from Maring.

Other third army columns south of the Moselle made gains of up to a mile and captured Reil. The Yanks suffered one minor reverse five miles east of Trier when the Nazis loosed a terrific counter-attack and regained high ground in the Albach area.

In both the Saarbruecken and Hardt mountain areas, several Nazi attempts to infiltrate behind the American lines were beaten back.

All along the Rhine except in the Remagen area, the Germans poured a harassing artillery fire across the river and claimed they had established defense positions which prevent any further surprise crossings of the waterway.

Supreme headquarters reported today that in the advances of last Sunday along the western front, 4,580 prisoners were captured.

PA NEWC Observes

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there apparently is no scarcity of ashes, and no doubt men who own trucks and haul rubbish will do a good business disposing of ashes in April. Licenses may be obtained at the city health department, City Hall.

Superimposed maps reveal that the war fronts in Europe at the present time are equivalent to being just beyond the east and west boundaries of Pennsylvania, if the fighting was taking place in United States.

About eight o'clock this morning a dense fog hung over the east side and slowed up traffic considerably. It was much clearer down in the city. Frost was heavy on the house-tops, shrubbery and grass.

Although it may be only imagination, but after hearing crows cawing every morning, there is a suspicion that the family of "Black Thief brigade" has increased here. Possibly this is due to the lack of regular hunts and ammunition.

Years ago the Lawrence County Sportsman's association provided ammunition for Frank Tamburni to dispose of crows and hawks, and he did a worthwhile job, according to farmers.

Bad holes which had been worn in the surfacing of Jefferson street near the public square are being repaired by the state highway department employees.

Although the earliest date for use of new state auto license tags is March 15, Pa. Newc notes a number already on cars being operated in the city.

Signs of spring along Park avenue: a flock of several dozen cedar waxwings feasting on the withered apples still hanging in one tree along the street; a large white rabbit apparently someone's escaped or released pet, nibbling off the little green shoots of the first plants to come up; a pansy plant that survived the winter green and healthy.

RED ARMY FORCES APPEAR READY FOR DRIVE ON BERLIN

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While Zhukov's forces topped Kuesstrin, troops of Marshal Konstantin K. Rokossovsky's Second White Army plunged on toward the Baltic ports of Danzig and Gdynia, while Russian aircraft blasted the two cities and also bombarded Koenigsberg.

On the approaches to Danzig from the south, Russian forces captured the town of Tczew ("Dirschau," described as a large railway junction and powerful stronghold of German defense.

Defeating stubborn resistance put up by Germans barricaded in stone houses, the Russians also occupied Niesuda and then advanced a little more than 15 miles and took over the town of Puck ("Putzig") on the Danzig Gulf, only a narrow coastal strip of which now remains in German hands, the Soviet communiqué said.

The Germans were suffering tremendous losses, both in men and materials, as the Russians drove forward.

Among those killed southwest of Kolberg, the communiqué said, was Lt. Gen. Rubel, commander of the German 163rd Infantry Division.

ANOTHER MAJOR RHINE CROSSING BELIEVED NEAR

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of high ground to the advancing Americans and one report said that Hoenningen was taken along with numerous other smaller communities. While not officially announced, the health report of Hoenning was in American hands along with Bad Godesberg, the picturesque but notorious Rhineland resort where Adolf Hitler hoodwinked the late Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain as to his sincerity in the pre-Munich days.

BRITISH SOLDIERS PROMISED RELEASE

LONDON, March 13.—(INS)—A "substantial measure of release from the armed forces" after the defeat of Germany was promised today by British Undersecretary of State for War Sir James Grigg in a speech to commons.

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Mrs. M. Pitzer's Sister Is Dead

Mrs. Myrtle Pitzer of this city has been informed of the death on March 9 of her sister, Mrs. Jennie S. Vorous, aged 72 years, wife of A. V. Vorous of New Lebanon, at White Rest home, Utica, Pa. She had been ill for many months and was taken to the rest home two weeks ago.

Mrs. Vorous, a daughter of the late William Patton and Lucinda Jewell Patton, was born March 14, 1872, at Sandy Lake. She was married 52 years ago and spent all her married life at New Lebanon, where she was a member of the Presbyterian church.

Survivors in addition to her husband and sister include an adopted daughter, Mrs. Betty Hillman, and one brother, Edward Patton, both of New Lebanon.

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Society AND Clubs

READING CIRCLE

HEARS PLAY REVIEW

On Monday afternoon at a meeting at the Y. W. C. A. the Reading Circle heard a review of Rose Franken's play, "Claudia," given by Mrs. A. Pearson Furst. Mrs. Furst was introduced by Mrs. George Morris of the program committee.

Members contributed a sum to be donated to the fund to purchase a station wagon for the Salvation Army.

Next meeting will be Monday, April 9, at the home of Mrs. L. N. Hought, 231 East Lincoln avenue, when officers for the coming year will be elected.

CURRENT EVENTS '06

MEETING ON MONDAY

Mrs. J. E. McGhee, 396 Norwood avenue, entertained in her home Monday afternoon Current Events '06 and one special guest, Mrs. J. Decker.

"Irish jokes" were given in answer to roll call. A discussion of current topics followed.

Mrs. Thomas Donaldson reported on "Bills Before the State Legislature." A detailed account of their new club schedule was presented by Mrs. John Ingham, chairman.

April 9, Mrs. W. E. McKee of Crawford avenue will entertain.

Mothers Class Meeting

Mothers Class members of the First Methodist church gathered for their March assembly in the home of Mrs. Samuel McBride, West State street.

Devotions were conducted by Mrs. John Black. The presentation of the program followed, with Mrs. Clark Wadding in charge.

In closing, a social period was enjoyed, with refreshments being served by the hostess, and the following aides: Mrs. Charles Layton, Mrs. John Templeton, Mrs. Fred Stoll and J. W. Lower.

E. KNOBLOCH, PO-3 C

HONORED AT PARTY

Honoring their son, Edward F. Knobloch, PO-3 C of the U. S. Naval Reserve, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Knobloch, Chestnut street, entertained informally a host of 40 guests in their home at a Sunday dinner party. The event commemorated the 22nd birthday anniversary of the former.

In serving a deliciously prepared dinner course, Mrs. Knobloch was aided by her daughter, Eleanor, and Mrs. E. F. Knobloch.

The guest of honor, home on leave from his post at the Navy I. C. school in Washington, D. C., is a veteran of over 20 South Pacific Naval engagements. Also, he served in the African campaign.

Sharing the event was his cousin, Staff Sgt. Allan Ulrich of Leavittsburg, Ohio, who just returned after completion of the required missions as a member of a bomber crew over enemy territory. He has been awarded the Presidential Citation and Five Oak Leaf Clusters, and also, was awarded an Air Medal. Another buddy, Dan Parsons of the U. S. Navy, who recently arrived home from duty on an L. C. T. in the European war area, participated.

His first line of duty was in the battle of Normandy on "D" Day. Out of town participants included Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ulrich, their daughters Betty and Juanita and son Staff Sgt. Allan Ulrich, the latter home on furlough.

Stitch-A-Bit Club
In the home of Mrs. William Kyle, Adams street, Monday night, Stitch-A-Bit club members assembled for a social time.

Honor prizes fell to Mrs. Frank Hamilton and Mrs. J. Robert Brown. Luncheon was served at the close of play.

April 2, Mrs. Kate McKim will be hostess at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Floyd Smock, Lathrop street.

MILTON RICK WEDDING TOLD

In the First Methodist church here Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Helen P. Milton, daughter of Mrs. Ella Milton, 458 Neshaunock avenue, became the bride of Pfc. Howard W. Rick, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Rick, Washington, D. C., at an impressive double ring ceremony. Dr. Buir R. McKnight was the officiating minister, vows being exchanged in the presence of relatives and friends.

Appropriate music was contributed preceding and during the service, with Miss Lillian Server at the console.

For her marriage, the bride was attired in a white bridal gown of lace and net. She carried an arm bouquet of red roses and white snapdragons.

An informal reception followed at the Milton residence. A wedding lunch was served buffet style from a table appointed in the nuptial motif.

Pfc. Rick and his bride left later on a wedding trip to St. Louis. Following, they will return to their respective duties with the U. S. armed forces. She will report to Bolling field in the capital city, and he will resume his post of duty at Jefferson Barracks, Mo.

Many beautiful shower and wedding gifts received by the couple were also displayed at the reception.

MARY ANN CONONICO HONORED AT PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cononico, of Morris street, were pleasant hosts at a birthday party, honoring their daughter, Mary Ann, on her tenth birthday anniversary.

An informal time was enjoyed with various games and contests being featured during the hours from 6 to 8 o'clock. Those capturing high score prizes were: Joan Fuleno, Edward Cononico, Donald Kalata and Ruth Heist.

Later the hostess served a delicious birthday lunch, with assistance of Margaret Carney, Yolanda Carney, Mrs. James Cononico and Mrs. Rita Stranick, special guests.

Other guests included: Mrs. Mary Carney, Mrs. Justin Carney, Florence Carney and James Cononico.

MERCER CLASS HAS ELECTION

Members of the Mercer class of Highland U. P. church were entertained Monday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Livesay, of Northview avenue.

Election of officers resulted as follows: president, R. H. Johnston; vice-president, Ward Reimold; secretary, Mrs. Samuel Stuts; assistant, Mrs. Hugh Chapin; treasurer, Mrs. J. Roy Mercer; and assistant, Mrs. Lewis Dayton.

A period of games, under the supervision of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dixon, were enjoyed.

Later refreshments were served by the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Chapin and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dayton.

Next meeting of the group will be in the form of a dinner at the church April 9, when families of the members will be guests.



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TOBIN-KULKIN DATE SET FOR MARCH 25

Mr. and Mrs. David Tobin, 1099 Highland avenue, announce Sunday, March 25, for the date of the approaching marriage of their daughter, Violet Leah, to Pfc. Alvin Kulkun, USMC, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kulkun, 428 Boyles avenue.

Pfc. Kulkun who has completed 18 months active duty in the South Pacific, has just arrived home on a 30 days furlough.

FAMILY RECEPTION FOR PVT. SHAFFER

Members of the Conner family gathered at a downtown hall on Saturday evening at reception for Pvt. Vance Shaffer, who has returned to this country after having been wounded in Belgium and hospitalized in England during the past months.

Games, with Leroy Conner in charge, were the pastime during the evening and refreshments were served.

Pvt. Shaffer, who has since returned to Camp Pickett, Va., for further treatment, was presented with a gift.

Frank C. Conner and Wesley Mann, Jr., were chairmen of arrangements.

Wednesday
Winodausis, Scottish Rite Cathedral.

B. P. W. 5:45 p. m. Castleton.
East Side Garden, Leonard Cramer, County Line street.

New Castle Hospital Emergency, sewing hospital.
Emanon, Mrs. Andrew Sugent, Garfield avenue.

W. T. T. Mrs. Donald Wynn, Arlington avenue.
P. G. E. Mrs. Andrew Paulini, Long avenue.

1945 Victory, Mrs. Frank Dute, 449 Neshaunock avenue.
1937, Elks club.

All-Together, Mrs. Nellie Sansosti, Harrison street.
N. O. T. Lucy Daurio, Hamilton street.

North Beaver Garden, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brewster, hosts.
G. K. W. Mrs. T. F. Nelson, Crawford avenue.

Mrs. R. W. Harris Honoree
Mrs. R. W. Harris, Temple avenue, was pleasantly surprised at her residence Monday night when neighbors gathered to tender her a farewell party. The honoree is moving to 1806 Highland avenue.

A social time spent informally was followed by the serving of lunch. In charge were Mrs. G. B. Hoagland, Mrs. Ernest Anderson and Mrs. R. W. Harris, Jr.

The guest of honor was presented with a lovely gift for her new residence.

Tenth Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. John Cearloss of South Ray street were hosts to a group of guests when they entertained honoring their son John on his tenth birthday.

For games, awards fell to Leo Cunningham, Robert Cearloss, Sonny Stewart and John O'Leary. Lunch was served. Mrs. Cearloss being aided by Mrs. John O'Leary, Betty Lou Cearloss, Patty Kennedy, Helen Mangine and Joann Houge.

Many handsome gifts were received by the guest of honor.

R. P. Missionary Society

Women's Missionary society of the Reformed Presbyterian church will hold its semi-annual Thank Offering program at the home of Mrs. J. M. Blackwood, East Washington street, on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mrs. J. J. McIlvaine will be the speaker.



Record NEWS
by Elizabeth Fleming
Andy Russell "Love Me" . . . Betty Hutton "Stuff Like That There"
Hal Miller "Sentimental Journey" . . . Tony Pastor "I Got a Song"
Sammy Kaye "Just a Prayer Away" . . . Vincent Lopez "Strange Music"
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Wednesday evening April 4th at 8:30, Miss Adrian Fisher, pianist will present her first New York recital in Town Hall. Miss Fisher, known to us and you as Dorothy Fisher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Fisher, More Ave., has been instructed locally and for past several years at Juilliard School of Music, New York City, under the finest teachers in this country. Our good wishes go to her for a most successful career.

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LAZY DAISY CLUB PARTY FOR COUPLE

A delightful surprise party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Gill when members of the Lazy Daisy club gathered informally at their home on Monday night. The event was a medium of celebrating their 25th wedding anniversary.

Various avenues of diversion were in progress. Luncheon was served by Mrs. Clarence McConnell and aides.

Mr. and Mrs. Gill were the recipients of a collection of appropriate gifts.

Regular meeting for members will be Wednesday, March 21, with Mrs. Clarence McConnell, Beckford street, hostess.

TIGERS AUXILIARY CONDUCTS MEETING

Tigers Auxiliary members met in the Sons of Italy hall, South Mill street, Monday evening.

Card playing was the pastime, high score prizes going to Mrs. Nick Sansosti, Mrs. Felix Mele, Mrs. Louis Ross, and Mrs. William Cubellis. The wedding anniversary of Mrs. Fred Gillett was honored and she received a big sister gift.

Special guest attending was Mrs. Matt Maiorano, and she received a gift.

A dainty lunch was served by the hostesses: Mrs. John DeSanti, Mrs. Ernest Gillett and Mrs. Anthony Croach.

April 9 is the next meeting, hostesses to be: Mrs. John Fuleno, Mrs. James Fuleno and Mrs. Anthony Fuleno.

BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR JOHN FRASSO

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Frasso, 410 Agnew street, were hosts at a birthday party honoring their son John on his 13th birthday anniversary Sunday afternoon.

A social gathering was held, games were played by the group. Special guests were Mrs. Anthony Phil, Mrs. Frank Frasso and Mrs. Clotilda Ross.

Mrs. Frank Frasso assisted the hostess in serving a tasty lunch later in the evening.

The honoree received many gifts.

Seventh Birthday Honored

Mr. and Mrs. George Johnston, Boyles avenue, entertained a host of young folks on Saturday afternoon, honoring their daughter, Aleata Jayne, on her seventh birthday.

From 2 until 4 o'clock, games and contests were favored, prizes going to Billy Kahre, Janet Taylor, Marlene Pitzer, Bobby Leonhardt, and Philip Hall.

A tasty birthday luncheonette was served by the hostess, with her daughter, Sara Mae Barbara Reib, aiding.

Many lovely gifts were presented the honoree.

Kupple-Kard-Klub

Kupple-Kard-Klub members were entertained Saturday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Kemp, Ellwood City. As a special surfeit they had Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goss, also Ellwoodians.

Cards were in play, honor awards going to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hamilton. Lunch was a later pleasure, served by the hostess.

March 24, Mrs. Paul Gardner, Line avenue, Ellwood City, will receive the membership.

Harbor Garden Club

Harbor Garden club will meet this evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Howard Cox, The Harbor.

BIRTHS

(Announcements to appear in this column must be signed with name and address of father, and also give name of doctor.)

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Matella, 307 Cascade street, announce the birth of a son, March 13, in the New Castle hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip F. DeRobbio, 514 Pearson street, announce the birth of a son, March 13, in the New Castle hospital.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. John W. Buchanan, R. D. 1, New Galilee, a son, Jameson Memorial hospital, March 13.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Reno, R. D. 1, New Galilee, a daughter, Jameson Memorial hospital, March 12.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Armstrong, R. D. 1, Volant, a daughter, Jameson Memorial hospital, March 12.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Merle Kauffman, R. D. 5, a son, Jameson Memorial hospital, March 13.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Fuchs, 423 Fairmont avenue, a daughter, Jameson Memorial hospital, March 13.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. John J. McGuire, 911 Rose avenue, a daughter, Jameson Memorial hospital, March 13.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Evan Yarro, Lovellville, O., a son, Jameson Memorial hospital, March 13.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Cooper, Ellwood City, (twin daughters, Jameson Memorial hospital, March 13.

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JOHNSTON-LIEBEL WEDDING ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Johnston, 1312 Huron avenue, announce the marriage of their daughter, Velma Mae Johnston, to Pvt. William Liebel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Liebel, Monongahela avenue, Glassport.

The ceremony took place Saturday, March 10, in the Second U. P. study of this city.

The Rev. J. Calvin Rose officiated, using the double ring service. Attendants were Miss Helen E. Johnston, cousin of the bride, of Wilson Pa., and Pvt. Stanley Derelo, Deshon annex.

A wedding dinner supplemented the ceremony, served at the Johnston home for close relatives and friends of the couple. Later, a reception was held, after which the couple departed on a brief trip.

Upon returning, the bride, affiliated with the Shenango Pottery, will remain here for the present. He will report to his post of duty in Virginia.

Dinner Party

Mr. and Mrs. William Stelder and son, Tommy, of Wampum, R. D. 1, entertained informally at their home Saturday evening at a dinner party. The event honored Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kelly and children, Jean and Harold, Mrs. Sara Mayberry and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tillia.

D. U. V. Dinner Plans

Daughters of Union Veterans at a meeting Monday evening in the lodge apartments on Neshaunock avenue made plans for a dinner for members and friends on March 26.

A social time followed the regular meeting.

N. D. B. Club

Regular meeting for N. D. B. club members was held in the home of Mrs. Thomas Francis, Sheridan avenue, Friday night with Mrs. Ernest L. Reichel hostess in charge. Card contests featured. Luncheon was served.

Dado-Sabelli Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. John Dado, 1211 Cascade street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Sue, to Mike Sabelli, son of Mrs. Sue Sabelli, 920 Cunningham avenue. No date has been set for the wedding.

Mothers of US Nurses

Mothers of US Nurses will meet in the Y. W. C. A. on Thursday, March 15, at 7:30 o'clock. All mothers of nurses serving in the U. S. armed forces are invited.

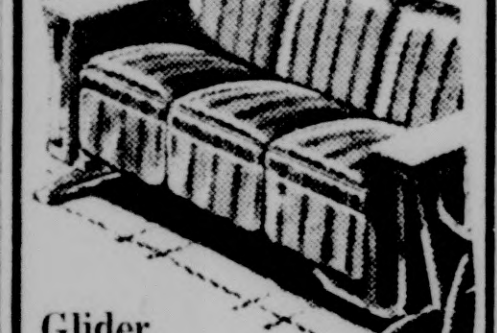
Semper Fidelis

Semper Fidelis club will meet Thursday with Mrs. James Cherol, Wilmington avenue.

Tifereth Israel Schedule Services

Rabbi Hyman Krash, spiritual leader of the Tifereth Israel synagogue, jointly with the Union of the Orthodox Rabbis of America, proclaims Wednesday, March 14, as a day of fasting and meditation.

Rabbi Krash stresses the importance of this religious day, by urging members and friends to attend services at the Tifereth Israel synagogue at 7 a. m. Evening services will be held at 7 p. m.



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WASHINGTON CALLING

by MARQUIS CHILDS

Overwhelming Job For Allies Still Ahead

ATHENS, March 13.—"It remains to be seen whether we have actually defeated the Germans in the countries which we have liberated."

This was a remark made by one of the most discerning Britishers I have met in the course of my glimpse into the smoldering volcano which Greece still is today. It seemed to contain a serious warning that all of us must heed in connection with the overwhelming job still ahead of us.

Thorough destruction of course, was that the disorganization and destruction, carried out by the Germans have been so complete that there is still the question whether the liberated countries, with our help, can begin to build toward a democratic society. Here in Greece—and the same is true throughout the Balkans—the destruction was done with extraordinary thoroughness.

No one argues that we have made a good start in Greece. The fact that the defenders of the British policy say that uprisings and near civil war were inevitable from the beginning and that, if British troops had not been there, even more bloodshed would have occurred, with an armed minority gaining control of the country.

What becomes apparent, however, is that the British had very little knowledge of the situation inside Greece when they took over following the retreat of the Germans in October. They themselves say that quite frankly. They knew all about the Germans and the extent of the German forces left behind but they knew almost nothing about the forces seething beneath the surface of the newly liberated country.

In mid-November a newspaper correspondent told a British officer he intended to stay in Athens, even though it seemed outwardly quiet at the moment, because he was convinced that violence and probably civil war would begin shortly. The British could not believe it.

Two Courses Open
With a sufficient background of knowledge, there were two courses open to the British when they have prevented the Greek tragedy that did so much to impair allied relationships around the world.

One course was to move in with a considerable military force so that the ELAS leaders would have known from the beginning that any effort to seize power was hopeless. But the British forces that came in originally were very small. In fact, they were so small that they came within a hair's-breadth of being driven out of the country again.

To be sure, it was difficult to find troops for the occupation. The manpower demands in the far-flung Mediterranean theater were acute. Yet the fact remains that, after the trouble in Greece started, it was necessary to fly in a sufficient number of troops to put down a major rebellion against the allied-imposed government that the British had helped to set up.

Second Possibility
The second possibility open to the British was to give the leftist elements greater recognition within the government. I don't know whether this would have made any difference. As a brief visitor here, I have no right to any positive opinion. This, however, is the belief of some American correspondents who have been here during most of the trouble—that the cooperation of ELAS could have been won by the right approach.

The suspicion did exist that the British wanted to restore King George of Greece. ELAS leaders knew he had been spoon-fed in Cairo and London with the possibility of restoration of the monarchy. Part of the background, too, was the British suppression of the military among Greek troops in Egypt.

On the other hand, too much emphasis cannot be placed on the violence of the forces released in Greece when the coercive hand of the Germans was finally removed. It was not just the four years of cruel occupation. Before that, there had been nearly five years of the savage Metaxas dictatorship. So when the people of the working class, who had suffered the most, came into the streets, it was with wild and violent cries of death and destruction to those who had lived comfortably under Metaxas and under the Nazis and who now seemed to be just as secure and comfortable under the British.

We must know more. We must have greater understanding. Military intelligence is not enough. Far-reaching political intelligence and what is more important, mutual understanding are essential in our complicated world.

That, it seems to me, is the supreme lesson of the Greek tragedy, and one we must learn quickly. (Copyright, 1945 United Feature Syndicate, Inc.)

Just Folks
by EDGAR A. GUEST

STAY-AT-HOME REFLECTS
I took his place when he went away.

Now he's coming home in a month or two. But the foreman fancies that I should stay.

Since I've mastered the methods new.

I hear them talking—the women and men—

Conditions have changed since the war began.

And they'll never be quite the same again.

For the working woman and the working man.

I'm all confused, for little is clear. But as for myself, my tools I'll pack.

And turn in my badge and get out of here.

And give him his job when he gets back.

Toonerville Folks

By FONTAINE FOX

HOUSING SHORTAGE INCIDENT



HINTS AND DINTS

Sun sets tonight 7:07. Sun rises tomorrow 7:12.

We hear a lot of talk about the next war. This should never happen. No doubt America will be the target in the next war.

Do all you can for the Red Cross. It does things no other organization can do and it does it in a big way.

After the war over ten million soldiers and their families will have a lot to say about how things are run in their country—and they should.

Good luck often depends upon how you use your head.

What's become of the old-fashioned man whose favorite song was "Yes, We Have No Bananas?"

And how about the fellow who insisted on singing "Barney Google?"

Speaking of old-fashioned customs, who remembers how folks used to borrow sugar, coffee and butter from neighbors? Sometimes a neighbor was not so good about paying back what she had borrowed, and that usually caused "hard feelings."

Don't blame a man for doing a thing until you learn why he did it.

A dyed in the wool hypocrite is a fellow who keeps on believing his own lies.

Revising the old ice man story: Once upon a time a man got up early on a Sunday morning to let the ice man in, and not being able to find his bath robe, slipped on his wife's kimono.

When he opened the door he was greeted with a nice big kiss by the ice man.

And the only way he could figure it out was that the ice man's wife had a kimono just like the one he had on.

One way to start a bank account is to live on less than you can afford.

We have generally found the most common sense among folks who are not highly educated.

EXPANSIVE GRIN
We got a call from a hospital the other day saying that a friend of ours was acting oddly.

"What's the matter?" we asked "Is he off his trolley?"

"Well," the nurse replied, "he has just become the father of triplets."

"That is quite a shock," we agreed. "But what's he doing?"

"He's just going around smiling from heel to hair," was the answer.

The ant is overpriced as a workhorse, for he puts in most of his time going nowhere and then coming back.

The horse shoe is only a symbol of good luck when it is on the winning horse.

It would be a much more progressive world if we reorganized the time we gave to other people's business.

GUESSED RIGHT
"How many are in on our little secret?" a newly engaged youth asked his girl.

"Six," she told him. "I knew they would," he exclaimed.

Napoleon's efforts to preserve perishable foods for his armies created the canning industry.

Just Folks
by EDGAR A. GUEST

The Germans think it smart to trade space for time, but what can they do with the time when they run out of space?

Brief summary of Chinese policy: "America must like Japan, who ever we do, we've suffered enough; let's coast while Americans finish the job."

We encountered a friend of ours looking into a jewelry store window.

"What I'm looking for is an alarm clock," he said. "And it reminds me of the time I was a kid. Mother went out one day after an alarm clock. She said she wanted to get one that would ring father without waking the rest of the family."

"Did she get it?" we asked. "No, she didn't," was the reply. "She got one of the kind we usually had. It waked the whole family without waking father."

The taxpayer submits to injustice as the cheapest way out. He hasn't time or money for a contest, and the government has plenty of both.



Security is mental. Not how many people feel safe when they lock the front door and leave the key under the doormat.

We pay a price for civilization. South Sea savages didn't know how to glow their noses, for they had never had a cold till our boys gave them germs.

Note to proud and helpless France: We all sympathize but a man who is broke can't demand a voice in the business because he expects to be rich again some day.

The earth, according to astronomical weights, weighs six thousand billion (6,000,000,000,000) tons. Fact should be remembered by any future would-be dictators who want to kick it around.

We knew it would happen! After blowing his top, Hitler is now blowing his bridge.

Good Taste
by G. C. PERKINS GUEST
by FRANKIE MARKEL

DON'T FORGET YOUR THANK YOU

"I have noticed a conspicuous lack of politeness among the masses of politeness among the masses."

"Thank you is almost a forgotten word. Won't you give us all a little advice on the needed use of this phrase of courtesy?"

Answer: You are right! In our hurry to go nowhere, we do forget our manners. "Thank you" should be used profusely on all occasions demanding some form of recognition of extended courtesy. Thank the members of your household for the slightest favor. Thank the waiter who serves you, the clerk who shows you his goods, the stranger who gives you street directions, thank everyone for every small or large courtesy. Even the most important executive is not exempt from thanking the office boy on his routine duties.

I have a friend whose little boy of three years has had the word "thank you" so instilled in his head that there are certain words and gestures that automatically call for this expression of gratitude. When anything is handed to him, he never forgets his "thank you." In fact, he even says it when he hands something to someone else. This was caused by the fact that when his mother gave him anything she said "thank you" reminding him that he must always say it to her. So now he offers thanks whenever he either gives or receives—which isn't such a bad habit after all!

Question: What kind of gift should I send to a bride, whose wedding I shall attend?

Answer: Any of the numerous articles used in furnishing a home—china, lamps, linen, silver—any item of furniture still on the market. Your gift must, of course, be addressed to the bride and sent to her home, as soon as possible after receipt of the invitation.

Miss Markel will promptly mail personal answers to questions from readers enclosing a self-addressed stamped envelope.

Tomorrow—Code of Behavior for Girls

Great Game Of Politics

By FRANK R. KENT
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Some Forecasts In Coal Strike Threat

WASHINGTON, March 13.—The best informed opinion is that there will be no coal strike at the end of this month. At most, there may be a day of idleness in the mines. But that is all. The Government knows how the current controversy between the coal operators and Mr. Lewis is coming out. So does Mr. Lewis. So do the operators. The only one who does not now is the consuming public, who will pay the bill.

AT LEAST, this is the view of realistic men in all three groups. What they think will happen is this: when the inevitable impasse comes between the operators and Mr. Lewis, the strike threat, as before, will seem very real. Even though aware that Mr. Lewis is bluffing, the terrible consequences of a strike are such that the Government cannot afford to call the bluff. It again will take over the mines. The miners, of course, cannot strike against the Government and will go to work.

THUS, there will be no important decrease in production, and no slowing down of industry, as stock prices are big enough to last a few days. Following the taking over of the mines there will ensue further negotiations with Government officials. In the end, the customary compromise will be reached. Mr. Lewis will not get all he has demanded. He never expects to. But he will get "fringe" increases on special items which in effect, will be a general increase of some millions of dollars. The Government will on to the consumer by the operators, who then will get their mines back, taking, of course, the usual loss.

THAT IS the way it worked before and that is the way it is expected to work again. It has all the earmarks of a rigged game by which, through devious means, Mr. Lewis puts more money in the pockets of his miners and the Administration saves its face by preserving on the surface the Little Steel formula. One wonders how many times the process can be repeated. One wonders why the people stand for it. It is hard to blame Mr. Lewis for getting away with it if he can. Of course, he ought not to be allowed to, but after all he is doing no more than CIO and AFL labor leaders have been doing—and are now trying to do. The difference is that he is less hypocritical and far less unctious than they.

FOR EXAMPLE, nothing could be more piously fraudulent than the loud attack upon Mr. Lewis by CIO leaders in New York, in which he was denounced for a "strike plot against the nation." No matter how reprehensible Mr. Lewis' course, the brazen effrontery from a labor organization which for eight days had 26,000 men out on strike in Detroit's vital war plants and still has 11,600 out; an organization which proclaims a "no-strike" pledge, but recently wished a year in which there were 5,000 strikes, a majority of which are charged against it; an organization which now is engaged in an attempt to break the anti-inflation lines set by the President and has scuttled the work-or-fight bill, urged its enactment by the Commander in Chief, the Secretaries of War and Navy and the joint chiefs of staff. Coming from this source, the cry of a "strike against the nation" is not only ridiculous but revolting.

MR. LEWIS will not get his plan of a 10-cent royalty on production for his union, though Mr. Petrillo did defy the Government and get exactly that. If this plan should become established, labor unions could usurp the Government's right of taxation. They would become competitive taxing agencies and industry would be crushed by double taxation. It is the shortest road to Communism yet discovered. Congress, of course, should enact a law prohibiting unions from levying taxes on the output of industry. But Congress will not do this for the same reason Congress has not passed any effective bill regulating labor abuses since the war began. This is because it cannot get the support of Mr. Roosevelt. Instead, he has opposed effort in this direction.

When the day comes when a large majority passed a regulatory bill and the Senate was about to do likewise, the President personally asked Senators to refrain. Later when again as Mr. Mark Sullivan points out, Senators introduced bills, the President personally asked that they be withdrawn and in deference to him, they were.

FINALLY, when a bill passed both Houses, the President vetoed it and it was then passed over his veto. It has not stopped strikes—or even slowed them down. Since then the CIO has increased its political influence and, with a supporting President, the difficulties of legislation are closed.

If it were not for the link binding him to the CIO, regulation long ago would have been achieved. And neither Mr. Lewis nor any other labor boss would be able to play games with us while the war is on.

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Hints On Etiquette

If you use a neighbor's telephone when you have none of your own, be sure to pay for the call. If it is a long distance call, check the bill with your neighbor so as to be sure to pay what you owe.

Senator Murray of Montana has introduced a bill providing for a "national institute of dental research." He didn't say, but we assume he wants a good, strong bill, with teeth in it.—Ft. Wayne News-Sentinel.

Bible Thought

Though I have bound and strengthened their arms, yet do they imagine mischief against me.—Hosea 7:15.

Words Of Wisdom

Men are free when they are in a living homeland, not when they are traveling and breaking away.—D. H. Lawrence.

Washington Report

Washingtonians Debate Merits Of Popularity
Many Put Forward For Most Interesting Woman
Many Found With Charm, Ability, And Looks

By HELEN ESSARY
(Central Press Columnist)

WASHINGTON, March 13.—"Who is the most interesting woman in Washington?" This private poll was taken at a dinner party last night. By the "most interesting," what do you mean, we asked. "The most beautiful?" "The most fascinating?" "The most intelligent?"

A combination of charm and intelligence, of personality and attraction, that's what the "most interesting" means, explained the pollster. The definition decided on names were suggested for the title.

Here are a few of the candidates: Mrs. Evelyn Walsh McLean (in a class by herself you can't pigeon-hole her qualities).

Mrs. Joseph E. Davies, wife of the former ambassador to the Soviet and Belgian governments, woman, executive and beauty.

Mrs. Paul V. McNutt, wife of the manpower commissioner, beauty, wit and general charmer.

Mrs. Luce Devastating
Congresswoman Luce, devastating female, bold, beautiful Clare. She's calm, ambitious, brilliant—never looks back to see where the body fell.

Congresswoman Margaret Chase Smith—good-looking, able lawmaker, agreeable, too.

Mrs. Alice Longworth—to the manor born, handsome, witty, provocative darning.

Mrs. Milard T. Ewing—lovely, clever type of successful wife. (See the senator from Maryland.)

Mrs. J. W. Fulbright, graceful, elegant, poised, likewise charming type of successful wife. See the young senator from Arkansas.

Other candidates: "interesting woman" was suggested.

Mrs. Burrill Maybank, wife of the senator from South Carolina, delightful southern type—clever wife. Likewise Mrs. Pat Hurley, likewise beautiful, clever wife type.

Since some of us thought the title should go to a woman who effectively played a public role as well as a domestic role, that about Mrs. Robert Taft? Mrs. Arthur Vandenberg? Mrs. George Garrett, Red Cross executive?

And you certainly couldn't skip Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt as a great personality. Put her at the top maybe. And don't forget Mrs. Anna Bottgering, White House daughter and confidential secretary to the president.

When the question was put: "Who is the most attractive man in Washington?" the answer was unanimous—Franklin Roosevelt!

The list of lovely, wise ladies is far from complete. I'd like a few suggestions, please, to add to its sketches.

Yarn From Yalta
Here's the latest Crimea conference story. You'll hear it a dozen times more.

The president and the prime minister (Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Churchill) met at Malta on their way to the Big Meeting, according to the yarn. They stopped for a rest and a friendly pow-wow. Indeed they got along so happily together they almost forgot for what they had left home. Suddenly Mr. Churchill remembered. "Don't you think it time we raise up Joe?" he inquired of Mr. Roosevelt. "Maybe he'd like to join us."

"Great idea, agreed Mr. Roosevelt. The call was put in. Mr. Stalin was got on the phone, finally. "How'd you like to join us boys, Marshal?" said Mr. Churchill.

"Where in Christendom are you fellows?" roared Uncle Joe.

"Why, we're at Malta," answered Mr. Roosevelt, who by this time had got on the wire too.

"Malta?" roared Mr. Stalin. I said YALTA. Don't you ever understand a thing I say? Come to Y-A-L-T-A, at once."

And so they did. Believe it or not. Kinda dump this tale. But it has a point.

The Parent Problem
By Garry C. Myers, Ph. D.

INSECURITY CAUSES BEHAVIOR PROBLEMS

I wish more parents and teachers realized that behavior problems, even lack in learning, at school, can be caused by emotional tensions and insecurity at home. What usually happens is that the teacher merely complains about the child to his parents and the parents, in turn, scold or punish the child for the unfavorable report from the school.

As a result, the child may get the home and school have "ganged up" on him as his enemy.

What such a child needs is for the teacher and parents to sit down together, and without blaming each other, analyze the child's difficulties and consider what can be done about them. At school the teacher needs to look carefully into the youngster's learning difficulties and behavior. Perhaps he can show the parents exactly what they may do to help this child gain in specific learning skills. She might in-

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That an economic adviser to the Department of Agriculture should be ignorant of these things is not surprising, but more or less typical in an era when theorists run a big part of the government. It is analogous to the innocence of the twenty-seven-year-old czar of the meat business in Washington, who, replying to a packer delegation's demand for steer beef on the way, coolly inquired, "What's a steer?"

More fortunate than Germany, his country is able to afford both butter and bullets. But we can't afford too many Dr. Mordecai Ezekiel's.

The World and the Mud Puddles

Now IT'S BUTTER
Dr. Mordecai Ezekiel—now that is a real Biblical name—economic adviser to the Department of Agriculture, is quoted as selling a recent farm conference in Washington that it is time the country found another spread for its bread in the place of butter and that we use milk "for its food value and not for its butter." While this pronouncement probably was viewed in dairy circles as a veiled boost for the margarine makers, it is construed by some other persons as indicating a government program to remove butter from the national menu as part of a general plan to supervise our diet. Mr. Hitler, it will be remembered, told his followers that they had to choose between butter and bullets.

Considering the good Doctor's suggestion that milk had better be used exclusively as milk, the Chicago Journal of Commerce is moved to remind him that cows do not produce according to government dictative or formula. "We recently found that out about hens. While there is a superabundance of milk in summer, there is a deficiency in winter. The excess summer production is conserved in butter and cheese. If butter making were stopped, millions of gallons of summer milk would have to be thrown away or shipped abroad to supply Mr. Wallace's routes among the Hottentots. Butter is described as the "balance wheel" of the dairy industry, and regardless of the speculation of the people, its elimination in favor of some synthetic or substitute spread would wreck the industry.

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Inquiry Held In Fire Charges

Councilmen Hear Testimony In Charges As Result Of Recent Fire Here

Council met at City Hall today as a board of inquiry to ascertain facts connected with the recent Chambers Motor company blaze in Grant street. After the hearing, Mayor John F. Haven, board chairman, asserted: "I feel the fire department did a good job."

It was charged by T. E. Chambers that the Gamewell system was out of order and there was too much delay in providing sufficient equipment and men to fight the blaze.

It was admitted by fire officials and City Electrician Rex Hughes the alarm system was out of order but no one had knowledge of its state. However, the charge of needless delay charge was combated by fire officials.

The inquiry was held at the request of the local Insurance Agents association.

Policemen Heard

Policemen Harry Flinner and Clarence Welsh testified they discovered the blaze while in a police scout car, claimed it was leaping through windows and they radioed the alarm to police headquarters.

Police headquarters telephoned to the Central or No. 1 fire station and Assistant Chief George Harper testified that two streams of water were playing on the fire at 5:55 a.m., or five or six minutes later.

Before Central left its house Box 18 was turned on, but failed to register other houses. Harper discovered Park avenue had not answered the alarm, he telephoned that department.

Disagree On Time of Arrival

T. E. Chambers testified Park avenue arrived about 6:10 a.m. and that other second alarm equipment did not arrive until 6:40 a.m. Harper testified that he had had a second alarm telephoned all houses and the equipment was there before that.

It was alleged that when Chambers sent to No. 1 (which No. 6 had taken over) for more equipment, at 6:30 a.m. the answer was it could not go to the fire unless ordered by the chief or his assistant.

(This was explained later by the assistant chief who said this rule is to keep persons not versed in combatting fires from calling out equipment not needed.)

Harper and Chambers disagreed as to the time the second alarm equipment and firemen arrived.

Chambers said he had no criticism concerning the way the fire was fought after sufficient equipment and men were there. It was the delay in getting started to battle the fire that caused his criticism, he asserted. Fire officials denied there was needless delay.

City Electrician Hughes testified the Gamewell system is as good as anywhere in the country, admitted it was vulnerable to weather conditions but did not know prior to the fire it was out of order.

Norman Minner, ex-fireman, said he was notified by a girl who left a Grant street bus before six a.m. there was a fire and heard No. 1, or Central going to the blaze before six a.m.

Waialeale mountain in the Hawaiian Islands is believed the wettest place in the world, with an average of 460 inches of rain a year.

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Lt. Dan Woolcock Reported Killed

Local Officer, Previously Reported Missing In Action, Met Death January 13, Parents Learn

First Lt. Daniel Barlow Woolcock, Jr., aged 24 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel B. Woolcock of 316 Summer avenue, who had been reported as missing in action in Belgium since January 13, has now been reported as killed in action on that date, word received by the parents states.

The message telling of his death was received by his wife, now residing at her home in Marlton, N. J., and she in turn communicated at once with his parents here.

Lt. Woolcock was born on February 7, 1921, and after attending the local schools graduated from the senior high school in the class of 1939. He later attended Mercersburg Academy and Lafayette college, where he was enrolled in the R. O. T. C. In May, 1943, he was inducted into the service and trained at Fort McClellan, Ala. He attended officers' candidate school at Ft. Benning, Ga., and received his commission there as a second lieutenant, after which he was assigned to duty at Camp Atterbury, Ind., from whence he went overseas in October, 1944, with the 106th Division.

When the Germans attacked in the Belgian bulge, two of the 106th Division regiments were wiped out, but Lt. Woolcock's regiment was able to hold its position. Afterwards his regiment was brought out and regrouped and went back into action in the Ardennes. He was promoted to first lieutenant on the field of battle on December 27th.

Lt. Woolcock was married to Harriett Thomas Brick of Marlton, N. J., on May 12, 1944, who survives him, together with his parents and one sister, Mrs. Oscar W. Riley.

He was a member of the First Christian church, where he was a junior deacon, and had also been a teacher in the sabbath school.

PERSONAL MENTION

Miss Elaine English of Walmo has resumed her studies at Mt. Mercy Academy, Pittsburgh, after two weeks illness at her home.

Mrs. John M. Staley of Highland avenue is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Staley of Monaca, Pa.

Mrs. P. G. Harrington and daughter, Mrs. Jean Wigle of New Brighton, were recent house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clem Parkinson, West Euclid avenue.

Pvt. Joseph Parkinson, West Euclid avenue, home from the South Pacific for a 30-day furlough, has concluded a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Parkinson of McKeesport, an uncle and aunt.

Mrs. William B. Francis of Edgewood avenue has left for Baltimore where she will attend the funeral of her cousin, Edward Richards. The late Mr. Richards was well known here having visited a number of times with friends and relatives.

Fitzhugh-Frazier

Miss Norma Grace Fitzhugh, daughter of E. Fitzhugh of 212 Locust street, former of Philadelphia, and Joseph William Frazier of 221 1/2 South Diamond way were united in marriage on Monday afternoon in the parsonage of the Second Baptist church, West North street. Rev. U. S. Munnerlyn officiated.

Mr. and Mrs. Frazier plan to make their home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Frazier, Diamond way, for the time being.

Mrs. Myrtle Dantzer of West Grant street entertained a number of friends at a spaghetti dinner last Friday evening, honoring the birthday of her husband, Mitchell C. Dantzer.

The later hours of the evening were spent with a social time, and refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

U. S. FORCES IN MINDANAO ARE DRIVING AHEAD

(Continued From Page One)

American patrol planes, maintaining their blockade of the China coast, knocked out six larger enemy supply vessels and a lugger and two barges.

Make New Gains

On Luzon, meanwhile, First Cavalry Division troops, maintaining gains, captured strategic high ground dominating terrain beyond liberated Antipolo, 11 miles east of Manila. In the same general area, Sixth Division infantrymen repulsed several minor Jap counter-attacks and probed farther into the hills southeast of Montalban.

Small gains were made in other sectors of Luzon and, during the past week, the communists reported, 1,092 Japs were killed or found dead in the central Philippines.

American aircraft supported ground operations on all fronts and also continued harassing raids against bypassed enemy bases to the southwest of the Philippines.

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BUSINESS REPORT FOR 1944
In accordance with the Annual Statement as of December 31, 1944, filed with the New York State Insurance Department.

| OBLIGATIONS TO POLICYHOLDERS, BENEFICIARIES, AND OTHERS | ASSETS WHICH ASSURE FULFILLMENT OF OBLIGATIONS |
|---|--|
| Policy Reserves Required by Law \$5,923,550,602.75 | National Government Securities \$3,066,445,598.96 |
| This amount, together with future premiums and interest, is required to assure payment of all future policy benefits. | United States and Canadian. |
| Policy Proceeds and Dividends Held at Interest 296,078,543.16 | Other Bonds 1,919,930,388.87 |
| These are funds left with the company to be paid in the future. | Provincial, State and Municipal \$ 98,069,228.70 |
| Reserved for Dividends to Policyholders 114,154,637.00 | Railroad 588,210,136.87 |
| Set aside for payment in 1945 to those policyholders eligible to receive them. | Public Utilities 769,116,680.34 |
| Other Policy Obligations 67,579,917.19 | Industrial and Miscellaneous 464,534,242.96 |
| Claims in process of settlement, estimated claims not yet reported, premiums paid in advance, etc. | Stocks 104,596,021.13 |
| Taxes Due or Accrued 21,656,953.00 | All but \$2,407,086.53 are Preferred or Guaranteed. |
| Includes estimated amount of taxes payable in 1945 on the business of 1944. | First Mortgage Loans on Real Estate 916,419,648.68 |
| Special Reserve for Investments 104,368,000.00 | Farms 87,325,964.20 |
| To provide against possible loss or fluctuation in their value. | Other Property 829,093,684.48 |
| Miscellaneous Liabilities 24,644,127.31 | Loans on Policies 370,567,520.98 |
| TOTAL OBLIGATIONS \$6,552,032,780.41 | Made to policyholders on the security of their policies. |
| | Real Estate Owned 310,793,056.22 |
| | Includes \$49,148,672.32 real estate under contract of sale and \$146,808,180.56 Housing Projects and real estate for Company use. |
| | Cash 143,063,475.82 |
| | Other Assets 163,634,660.80 |
| | Premiums due and deferred, interest and rents due and accrued, etc. |
| | TOTAL ASSETS TO MEET OBLIGATIONS \$6,995,450,571.43 |

Thus, Assets exceed Obligations by \$443,417,791.02. This safety fund is divided into:
Special Surplus Funds \$15,760,000.00
Unassigned Funds (Surplus) \$427,657,791.02

These funds, representing about 7% of the obligations, serve as a cushion against possible unfavorable experience due to war or other conditions and give extra assurance that all policy benefits will be paid in full as they fall due.

NOTE:—Assets carried at \$332,059,336.58 in the above statement are deposited with various public officials under requirements of law or regulatory authority. Canadian business embraced in this statement is reported on basis of par of exchange.

HIGHLIGHTS OF 1944 OPERATIONS

Insurance in Force, End of 1944 \$30,696,750,125
Paid-for Life Insurance Issued During 1944 \$2,064,042,459
Amount Paid to Policyholders During 1944 \$592,034,726.22

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In Religious And Fraternal Circles

Spiritualist Church Of Truth
Spiritualist Church of Truth, McGowan hall, 215 1/2 East Washington street, service Wednesday at 8 p.m. Rev. A. E. Guthrie, will speak on "Is Life Worth While?" Grand Circle Friday at 8 p.m.

Central Christian
The C. C. Missionary society will meet this evening at 8 o'clock, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Rainey, 1419 East Washington street.

Castledown Prayer Service
Castledown Holiness Mission will have a cottage prayer meeting this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Miller, Castledown.

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Mrs. Alma Schiek Assumes Duties At Franklin Hospital

Former Resident Leaves Greenville Hospital For Franklin Hospital As Superintendent

Mrs. Alma I. Schiek, a former New Castle resident, daughter of the late Rev. C. A. and Iva Imhoff, has taken up her new duties as superintendent of Franklin hospital, Franklin, Pa., it is revealed here. She was formerly with Greenville hospital, serving in the same capacity, from November 1, 1940 to February 28, 1945.

Mrs. Schiek, daughter of the late Rev. C. A. and Iva Imhoff, pioneers of Clarion county, had lived in Kansas and Arkansas until the death of Mr. Imhoff, who had just received his discharge from Army Y.M.C.A. service, World War I. Afterwards, Mrs. Imhoff and daughter located in New Castle, where Mrs. Schiek was graduated as a nurse in 1925, from Shenango Valley hospital, and now known as Jameson Memorial hospital.

She was president of her Alumni Association, is a member of the American Nurses Association and served the Pennsylvania Nurses Association as an active member, District No. 7. Mrs. Schiek is also an active member of the Pennsylvania Hospital Association.

Mrs. Schiek is enrolled in the American College of Hospital Administrators and has taken special work at the University of Chicago in Hospital Administration. Leaving New Castle in June 1938, she accepted the position of Director of Nurses in the City Hospital, Grove City, and left November 1, 1940 for her duties in Greenville.

Mrs. Schiek has one daughter, Betty Lou, a senior in high school.

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Joseph Timpano and wife to Caroline E. Newton and others, Perry township, \$1.

Corrine Reimo to Michael Reimo and wife, Ellwood City, \$1.
Donald J. Reimo to Michael Reimo and wife, Ellwood City, \$1.

Teresa H. Fullerton and others to James Joseph Hartshorn and wife, North Beaver township, \$1.
Sara Binder and wife to Emanuel Kaurigas and wife, 5th ward, \$1.

Dorothy L. Schuller to Dorothy M. Titus, Neshannock township, \$1.

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Dr. Isador Lubin Named To Frame Nazi Reparations

WASHINGTON, March 13.—(INS)—Secretary of State Stettinius announced appointment of Dr. Isador Lubin, as American representative of the reparations commission which will meet in Moscow to draw up the bill of reparations to be imposed upon Germany.

The commission was created at Yalta, to consist of representatives of the United Nations whose territory and property have been violated by the Nazis.

Lubin was formerly chief of the Bureau of Labor Statistics in the Department of Labor, and has served during the war on the President's personal staff of advisors. Lubin returned to Washington last Tuesday from a six weeks economic mission to the liberated areas of western Europe. He visited France, Belgium, Luxembourg and the areas around Aachen, Germany.

President James Madison was a son of James Madison, descendant of John Madison of England. He was the fourth president of the U. S.

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a petition for some candidate, don't worry, you will. Circulations are now in full bloom and every day sees a new one around the courthouse although not nearly as many as in other years.

This is a municipal election year, a war year and the primary election will probably show it. There are many offices to fill but not so is a judge to elect, a district attorney, a sheriff, a register and recorder, two city councilmen, a city controller, four school directors and a host of aldermen and justices of the peace.

The average citizen is too busy to think of running for office or of taking part in the election. The probabilities are the election will come and go with not much more than a slight ripple of interest.

TO LEAVE OFFICE

Miss Ida Rushin, who has been a member of the clerical force of the county commissioners' office is leaving county service to accept a position with a local industry.

NOT MORTON STREET

One of the bills of indictment handed up to the grand jury named Elmer Kerr as a defendant. This is not Elmer Kerr of Morton street.

Vote On Williams Likely This Week

WASHINGTON, March 13.—(INS)—Aubrey Williams' foes today brushed aside his friends' Senate poll as "wishful thinking" and predicted they will defeat him for rural electrification administrator this week.

Sen. Elmer Thomas (D) Okla., agriculture committee chairman, said he would report to the Senate today his committee's 12 to 8 decision against Williams. Debate on it may start tomorrow or Wednesday.

Meanwhile, Sen. Kenneth McKellar (D) Tenn., declared that "we'll turn Williams down by seven or eight votes."

A poll of the Senate last week by a committee of "friends of Aubrey Williams" listed 43 senators for Williams, 41 against him, and the rest doubtful. A majority of senators present and voting is required for confirmation.

Earlier polls, including one by International News Service, showed Williams trailing by some half-dozen votes.

Turn Transylvania Over To Romania

WASHINGTON, March 13.—(INS)—Secretary of State Stettinius gave official American support to the Soviet action of turning over the territory of Transylvania to Romania, but insisted that this action cannot be regarded as final until approved by a peace conference.

On Saturday, the Soviet government released the text of communications exchanged between Premier Stalin and Romanian Prime Minister Peter Groz, which approved the transfer of Transylvania and gave to that country what was described in press dispatches as "the greatest political plum of any Romanian government since the Trianon treaty."

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Postwar Lend-Lease Would Be Barred By Committee Move

WASHINGTON, March 13.—(INS)—In a move to eliminate Republican opposition, the house foreign affairs committee on Monday afternoon approved an amendment to the lend-lease extension bill barring financial postwar rehabilitation agreements under the act.

The amendment in effect follows a proposal by Rep. John Vorys (R) Ohio, ranking minority member of the committee, which was rejected when the lend-lease measure was reported out last week.

The amendment provides that nothing in the lend-lease act shall authorize the president "to enter into or carry out any contract or agreement with a foreign government for post war relief, post war rehabilitation or post war reconstruction." The pending bill extends for one year, to June 30, 1946, the president's authority to enter into lend-lease agreements and a one year's extension, from 1948 to 1949, to liquidate such contracts.

Edith L. Sherbine Sends Gift Home

From her daughter, Miss Edith L. Sherbine, who is in New Delhi, India, Mrs. Lloyd Sherbine, of Maryland avenue, has received the interesting gift of a lapel pin that is a miniature replica of a kukri, the knife carried by the Gurkha Indian fighters of Nepal.

In several recent letters that relate in detail her experiences since arriving in India, Miss Sherbine includes a description of an Indian wedding which she attended recently, and her initiation as a "shell-back" when the ship crossed the equator on the voyage over. She also mentions that in a stroll through the Viceroy's garden, "we saw white roses big as dinner plates."

She is with the foreign economic administration of the United States in India, was formerly employed in Washington, D. C.

BEAVER TWP.

BIG BEAVER GRANGE
Big Beaver subordinate and juvenile granges met Tuesday evening. Officers in both granges, who were not present for the installation of officers a few weeks ago, were installed. The grange voted to give \$10 to the building and remodeling fund of the Beaver Valley General hospital.

The master, Thomas Wilson, gave a report of the recent conference for masters, juveniles and juveniles in the county, giving the program of grange work for the year 1945. A program of interest to the farmer and his family was presented. It was interspersed with a humorous stunt and music.

Next meeting will be a Wednesday evening, March 21. Preceding the grange meeting, a basket dinner will be served at 7 o'clock at which time the Ladies club will observe Family Guest Night. A committee, the second half of the industrial committee, will arrange a program to be presented during the lecture hour. Hostesses will be the first half of the industrial committee.

BIRTHDAY DINNER
Ruth Bible class of young ladies of the Rocky Spring U. P. church gathered Saturday evening at the home of their teacher, Mrs. James Beatty, Big Beaver township. A delicious covered dish dinner was served in honor of Mrs. Beatty's birthday.

A purse was presented in behalf of the class to the honored guest.

STUDENT NURSE CAPPED
Miss Maryedith Fry, a student nurse at St. Francis hospital, Pittsburgh, received her cap in recent capping exercises in the auditorium of the hospital. Sixty members of the class were capped at that time.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Fry, parents of Maryedith, Phyllis Jean and Eddie Fry and Mrs. Margaret Shannon and daughter Barbara attended the exercises.

Miss Fry spent the first of the week with her parents here.

BEAVER TOWNSHIP NOTES
Union prayer group met Tuesday morning at the home of Mrs. A. Forsythe.

Mrs. Mary Whan of Big Beaver is a patient in the Beaver Valley General hospital.

Bobby McAnlis and Wanda McCullough are confined with illness to their homes in Big Beaver.

Y. W. M. S. of Rocky Spring U. P. church met Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Guy McCowan as hostess.

The Big Beaver Home Economics group met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wayne Walker, Little Beaver.

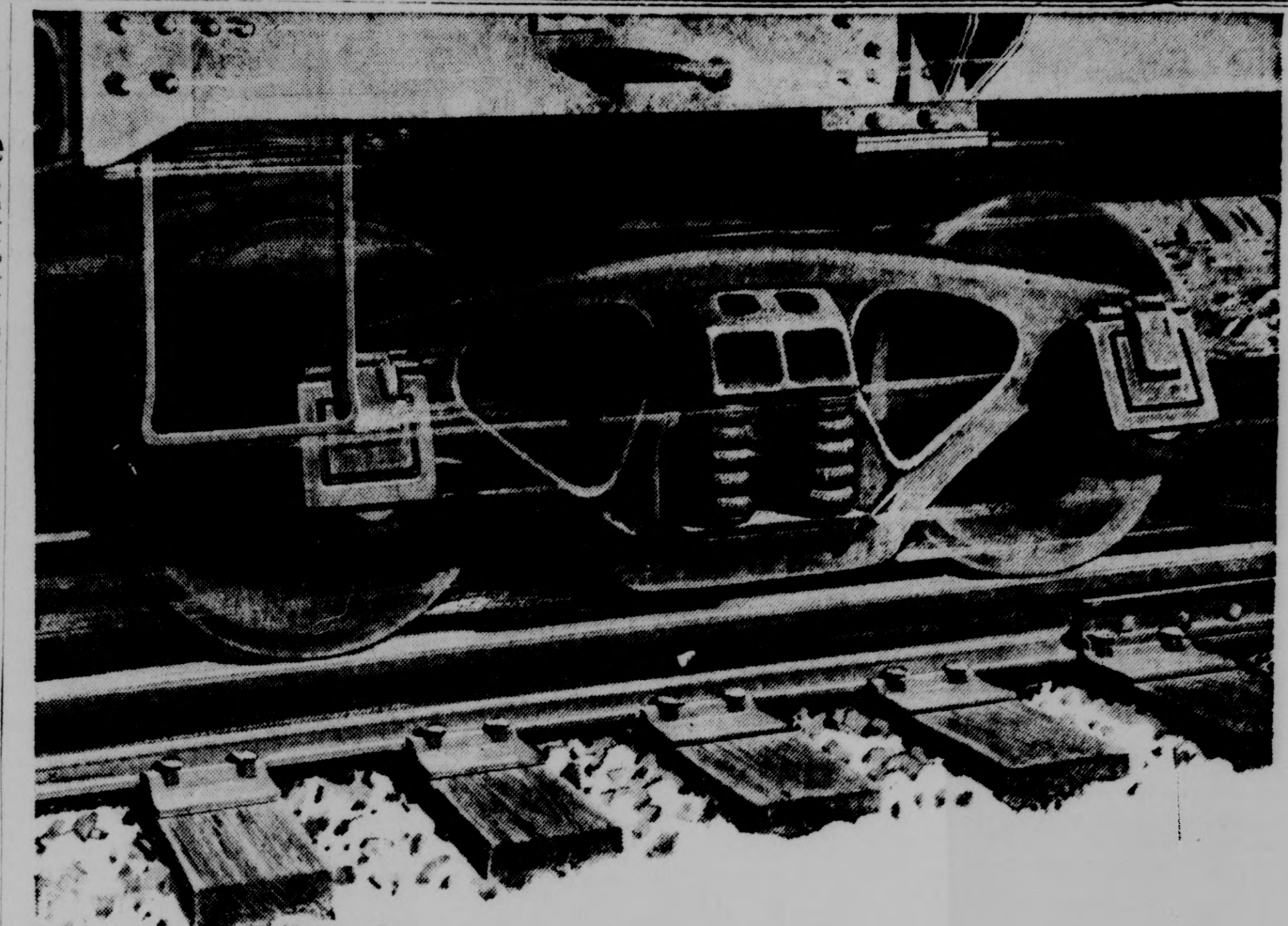
Junior Y. W. M. S. of Rocky Spring U. P. church met Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Gladys McAnlis Keane, Big Beaver township.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hunt and Mrs. Stewart Hunt of R. D. 4, New Castle, visited with relatives in Little Beaver township the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Jenins of New Galilee, and for many years residents of Big Beaver township, Lawrence county, will observe their golden wedding anniversary on March 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenard Hunt and daughter Nancy Belle of Sewickley spent the weekend at the home of Mrs. Hunt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Scott, Little Beaver, and were callers at the home of other relatives in Little Beaver.

Rev. and Mrs. W. W. Willis of the Rocky Spring U. P. manse received word the first of the week of the birth of a grandson to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ingram, nee Anabelle Willis. This is the first grandson, there being eight granddaughters.



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Thirty On Trial Result Of Strike

PHILADELPHIA, March 13.—(INS)—Thirty present and former employees of the Philadelphia Transportation company went on trial today before Federal Judge George A. Welsh on charges of violating the Smith-Connally act during last summer's six-day transit strike.

The defendants were accused of leading continuance of the strike after the Army took over the system. The men had filed pleas of not guilty.

Five of the defendants—James H. McMenamin, William C. Dixey, Jr., Frank P. Carney, Frank A. Thompson and Ralph H. Thompson—were fired from their jobs following the strike.

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Ready To Launch New LST Vessel

PITTSBURGH, March 13.—(INS)—The wife of a marine officer who fought the first American offensive of the war on Guadalcanal will christen the LST 1054 next Saturday at Dravo Corporation's Neville Island yard.

She is Mrs. Randall L. Stallings, of Fayetteville, Ark., and her husband, a major, is in charge of training special forces for the Atlantic fleet's amphibious training command at Norfolk, Va.

The christening is scheduled to take place on the third anniversary of the launching of the amphibious training organization.

Shenango Township Wars On Stray Dogs

Stray dogs wandering around Shenango township without licenses will find life getting a little more difficult from now on, according to deputy constable Don Pitzer.

Residents of the township have been making so many complaints that dogs are going to be picked up and if without licenses, disposed of, Mr. Pitzer said.

Owners of these licenseless pets may be prosecuted, added the deputy constable. Stray dogs with license will be held until claimed by the owners, who will have to pay a fine for allowing them to run loose.

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City Board Two Lists Inductees

Men Summoned For Induction During Month Of March Notified To Report Soon

SIXTH SON IN ONE FAMILY, ON LIST

When the men summoned for induction by Selective Service Board Two of New Castle entrains for camp sometime in the near future, among the group leaving will be Robert E. Gregor, who will be the sixth son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Gregor, of 1120 Cunningham avenue.

The others in the family who are in service, are: First Lt. William R. Gregor, U. S. Marine Corps, who is serving in the air corps in the Pacific area; First Lt. John Gregor, U. S. Army, in Germany; Sgt. Francis Gregor, in France; Corp. Edwin Gregor, in France, and Seaman 2-c Harry L. Gregor in the Pacific theater.

The number called to duty this month is about the same number as in the February call, it is stated. Those leaving are:

William E. Eidenre, R. D. No. 1, New Castle, Pa.

Joseph P. Joseph, 13½ E. Long avenue.

Andrew T. Pasquarello, 6½ W. Home street.

Westell S. Aiken, 426 Epworth street.

Robert C. Boyd, 207 Scott street.

Dominic A. DiGennaro, 610 Superior street.

Peter P. Melnick, 1313 Croton avenue.

William J. Schuster, 1058 Beckford street.

Alfred W. Mann, Jr., 915 Morton street.

Emil R. Grommes, 134 Boyles avenue.

Michael C. Palmer, 522 E. Lutton street.

William R. Fannin, 827 Morton street.

Joseph A. Ginochi, 1112 Scioto street.

Jerome J. McCart, 764 Harrison street.

Richard C. Fassinger, 913 E. Washington street.

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Robert E. Gregor, 1120 Cunningham avenue.
William R. Reed, 917 Marshall avenue.
Andrew Pihles, Jr., 920 S. Jefferson street.
Samuel A. Altieri, 1514½ Hamilton street.
John W. Boren, Hazel Park, Mich.
Harold L. Ashbey, Dearborn, Mich.
Michael Singer, 1808 Pennsylvania avenue.
Lawrence J. Pagley, 16 W. Washash avenue.
Charles W. Wiley, 1129 Scioto street.
Joseph Novotne, 213 Chartes street.
Louis Ferrari, Camden, N. J.

Seventy-Three Jobs Filled By Veterans Here During Month

New Castle found jobs for 73 former servicemen during February, according to an announcement from the local U. S. Employment office today.

Of this number, one went into the clerical and sales field; thirteen into skilled work; eight into semi-skilled jobs; and fifty-one into unskilled work. New Castle's record of 73 placements his high, stated Veterans' Counselor Ralph T. Jordan, pointing out that such larger towns as Erie, Chester, and Scranton placed 108, 113, and 125 respectively.

Altogether, 3,957 veterans of the present war were placed in Pennsylvania industries during last month, the State War Manpower Commission has revealed. The Philadelphia employment office found jobs for the largest number, placing 1,247, while Pittsburgh ranked second with 446 placements.

State Studies Two Bills For Care Of Delinquent Children

HARRISBURG, March 13.—(INS)—Two measures aimed at remedying improper care of underprivileged and delinquent children were sent to House committees today.

Rep. Rowland B. Mahary (R) Crawford, sponsored a measure calling for the establishment of a seven-member commission to study conditions relative to defective, delinquent and incorrigible children and to suggest remedial legislation. A \$300,000 appropriation for expenses was recommended.

A \$5,000 appropriation was proposed in a bill introduced by Rep. Fred P. Hare (R) Somerset, to enable the joint state government commission to draft legislation which would pave the way for the establishment of institutions for the care of underprivileged and delinquent children.

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Rotarians Hear Fine Talk From Miss Grace McCabe

Local Teacher Tells About Work Among Orthogenic Backward Children In Schools Here

New Castle Rotary club members heard an interesting talk by Miss Grace McCabe, of the Lincoln and Garfield faculty, who teaches the class of backward children at that school.

Miss McCabe gave some interesting statistics on the number of those found mentally deficient by the armed forces during World War I and World War II as a result of the examinations conducted by the induction centers throughout the country. A great number who were inducted had to be discharged later because of mental inferiority.

At the Lincoln and Garfield school alone, she stated that 1,000 tests have shown that out of an enrollment of 597 pupils, ninety have been classified as mentally inferior, and 54 of these have been classified as feeble-minded. Of this latter number, she teaches a class of 18 pupils, while the other 36 are in classes with other children, and are retarded in their progression in school work because they cannot compete with the others.

She stated that most of the problems of these children can be traced to their homes, but that the children must be cared for in school until they are old enough to quit.

The birthdays of Fred L. Rentz, and Rudolph Stadelhofer were honored by the club. Attorneys William J. Caldwell and J. Glenn Berry making congratulatory addresses.

Guests from the armed forces included Pfc. Joseph Wallace, son of Attorney R. L. Wallace, who has been undergoing treatment at the Woodrow Wilson hospital at Staunton, Va. He saw service with the 81st division in the Palau Islands, where he was wounded.

From Deshon Annex, were: T. Sgt. Arthur McMahon, of Buffalo, N. Y., who was wounded in Germany while serving with the 4th Armored Division; and S-Sgt. Paver Averlough, of New Oxford, Pa., who was wounded while serving with the Second Division in France.

It was announced that the annual rural program when the farmer guests of members will be guests will take place in The Castleton on Thursday evening, March 22.

The program on this occasion will be in charge of the Rural-urban committee, and will consist entirely of entertainment, it is announced.

FINES IMPOSED ON 27 STRIKERS

PHILADELPHIA, March 13.—(INS)—Fines of \$100 each today were recorded against 27 former and present Philadelphia Transportation company employees, accused of violating the Smith-Connally anti-strike act in the six-day transit stoppage last August.

At the last minute yesterday the 27 changed their pleas from not guilty to no defense and the fines were imposed by Federal Judge George A. Welsh. Sentences were suspended in the cases of two men, one of whom is in the service and the other is scheduled to leave soon.

The government withdrew its charges against three others.

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Seventh Ward Lt. Evans May Return To Air Combat Duty

Eighth Air Force Veteran Expects To Resume Combat As Navigator

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. David Evans of 306 North Cedar street, from their son First Lt. Kenneth Evans, that he may soon volunteer to return for duty overseas, as there appears to be a dearth of navigators in the air service.

Lt. Evans was for five and a half months overseas in combat attached to the Eighth Air Force and completed his missions, most of it in shuttle bombing. He went overseas in March and returned on September 28.

After a furlough here visiting with his parents, Lt. Evans attended Instructors School in Louisiana from October until middle of January, since that time he has been instructor in aerial navigation at the Army Air Base, Hondo, Texas.

Lt. Evans states that many air-classes are being returned to the U. S. for reeducation, and that he himself is feeling in good shape. He enlisted in the armed forces February 25, 1941, and was for fourteen months in the Hawaiian Islands, and upon his return was transferred to the air force.

Parents Mark Son's 16th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Quahilero of 119 South Cedar street, gave a surprise party at their home the evening of March 11, to a number of friends and relatives. The occasion was in honor of the sixteenth birthday anniversary of their son, Tony Quahilero.

Games and dancing were the diversion of the evening. Prizes were awarded to Bertha Ona, Josephine Moiozzi, Sam Ferranti, Nick Piscitelli.

A splendid lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Augustine Leone, Kate Macchiarelli, and Antonetti Moiozzi. A lovely birthday cake graced the table.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Macchiarelli and daughters, Kate and Mrs. Joseph Dudich of West Pittsburgh.

'White Rabbit' Ups Stamps, Bonds Sales

From the office of Mahoning school comes word that the average purchases and sales per pupil has been increased since the introduction of the novel idea by the stamps and bonds committee, of the visit of the "White Rabbit" to the school. Commencing March 1 up to the present, almost \$1,250 worth of stamps and bonds have been sold by the pupils.

The grand total since the opening of school in September is \$16,285.00; this amount even eclipses the splendid effort put forth at the school last year.

PARAMARINE SON AT TWO JIMA
Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hake, of R. D. 7, Mahoningtown, have received word that their son, Pfc. Robert Hake, that he has arrived on two jima island, Pfc. Hake is a paramarine attached to the Fifth Division of Marines. He has been in the service two years, and overseas eleven months.

RECOVERING NICELY

Wilbur Weisbaker of 203½ North Liberty street, has returned to his home from the Jameson Memorial Hospital, and is recovering nicely. Mr. Weisbaker sustained severe burns at his employment about ten days ago.

SEVENTH WARD PERSONALS

Mrs. Mary Binder, of 116 Wilder avenue, has received word that her son, Robert Barnes and family of Pittsburg, Pa., are visiting with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Garrick and family, of 522 West Cherry street have left for Arizona, where they expect to make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilkins, of Leesville, N. C., are visiting with their daughter, Mrs. Charles Irving and family, of North Cedar street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph M. Scowden of East Clayton street, have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. Erick of Franklin, during the week end.

Mrs. Harold Morgan of Leesville, N. C., has returned, after visiting with her sister, Mrs. Charles Irving and family, of 925 North Cedar street.

Yoeman Byers Back At Navy Office Here

Yoeman 3-c William Byers, of New Wilmington, has been transferred back to the U. S. Navy recruiting office here after spending several months in Erie.

Yoeman Byers had previously been located here with Chief Petty Officer H. L. Godfrey, and went to Erie with him the latter part of 1944 in a shift of recruiting personnel. Recently CPO Godfrey was returned to New Castle, and Byers followed him here this week.

NO SHORTAGE HERE: GRAPEFRUIT GLUTS PITTSBURGH MARKET

PITTSBURGH, March 13.—(INS)—The latest food to glut Pittsburgh produce markets is grapefruit, it was announced today by William Walsh, war food administrator.

Sgt. R. A. Burgo Home From India

East Washington Street Soldier Has Seen Service In Africa And India-Burma Theaters

S-Sgt. Richard A. Burgo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leopoldo Burgo, of 486 East Washington street, has arrived home for a 21-day leave after spending over two years in North Africa and in the India-Burma theater, where he has been serving with the Army Air Forces.

This is the first time he has been home in 32 months, he having had a short leave prior to leaving for overseas duty. His duties as aerial engineer and crew chief have taken him from the burning sands of Egypt and Libya to the jungles of Burma. At the completion of his leave, he will report to Santa Ana, Calif., for reassignment.

He has three brothers in service, whom he has not seen for three and a half years. They are: T-Sgt. Forrest H. Burgo of Walker's Field, Victoria, Kas.; Cpl. James Ross Burgo in the Philippines, and T-5 Alfred V. Burgo of Camp Claiborne, La.

Sgt. Forrest Burgo, who had been on the Galapagos Islands, and T-5 Alfred Burgo, who returned recently from Alaska after 20 months service there, were fortunate to be home and meet during the Christmas holidays.

Woman Lawyer Taken By Death

Suzanne S. Beatty, One Of Pioneer Women Lawyers Of Western Pennsylvania, Is Dead

PITTSBURGH, March 13.—(INS)—Funeral services will be held tomorrow for Miss Suzanne S. Beatty, one of Western Pennsylvania's pioneer women lawyers, who died in Overlook sanitarium, New Wilmington.

She was the fourth woman to be admitted to the Allegheny County Bar and the oldest woman lawyer—71—in Pennsylvania.

Miss Beatty was born December 10, 1873, in Clarion, one of six children in the family of Miles and Almira Bailey Beatty.

In addition to being a member of the bar, Miss Beatty was a member of the board of the Brancher Association, vice chairman of the Clarion School for Girls from 1927, a charter member of the Pittsburgh Woman's City club, a member of the League of American Pen Women and the Women's Press club, the New Era club and the Zonta club.

Funeral services will be conducted by the Rev. Francis N. Osborne in Pittsburgh, with private burial on Thursday at Franklin cemetery, Franklin.

Pvt. C. J. Masone Has Cold Injuries

Seventh Ward Soldier Confined To Hospital In England Because Of Frozen Feet

Pvt. Charles J. Masone, of 211 West Washash avenue is confined to a hospital in England, suffering with serious cold injuries of the feet, according to a recent message received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Masone.

Pvt. Masone, who has been in service since May 30, 1944, had been overseas for five months, serving with the 90th Division of the Third Army. His injuries were sustained in Belgium on January 18.

A brother, Anthony Masone, was discharged from the armed forces because of disability more than a year ago. His condition is somewhat improved, it is stated.

Two Hospitals For Veterans Will Be In This Part Of State

PITTSBURGH, March 13.—(INS)—The veterans administration today revealed it would build two hospitals for servicemen in Western Pennsylvania at a cost of about \$13,500,000.

One will be a 1,200 bed general hospital, and the other will be a 1,800 bed psychiatric hospital, the administration said. The sites have not been decided.

Auto Accident Damage Grows

Property damage in Lawrence county motor vehicle crashes during February amounted to \$6,967, compared to \$1,990 for January, according to state police statistics. Thirteen accidents occurred, in which five persons were injured.

State police ascribed the accident causes as follows: failure to keep the car or truck to the right side of the highway, four; driving too fast for road conditions, three; and most of the accidents, three, were on the Ellwood City-New Castle road. Two accidents took place on route 422 east, and also two on route 422, west.

REJECT CONTRIBUTION

NEW YORK, March 13.—(INS)—A \$5,000 contribution from the Communist Political Association to

Intricate Plans Hit Paper Before G. I.'s Hit Beach

"Nothing As Complicated
As Hitting Beach" Is
Claim Of Corre-
spondent

By HOWARD HANDLEMAN
(U.S. Staff Correspondent)

GUAM, March 13.—Old soldiers of this war will ask each other "How many times did you hit the beach?" just as old soldiers of the last one asked "How many times did you go over the top?"

For "hit the beach" is the by-word of this amphibious war on the Japs just as "over the top" was of the trench war on the Germans. There is nothing in warfare as complicated as hitting a beach. Neither is there anything to match the emotional strain of riding to a hostile, unknown beach in a small boat at four or five knots, waiting for something to hit you while you sit helplessly behind a thin sheet of steel you know is too weak to withstand a bullet, let alone a shell.

"Poem" Or "Burlesque"

Complications begin early, way back in the planning period when the operation can be referred to only by some strange symbol, such as "Mike One" or "Poem" or "Burlesque." There is no rhyme or reason to the code names for American operations, so there is no system by which the names can be broken down by Japs.

In that stage the Navy supply officers and Army or Marine G-4

people get together in shifts to decide what to take what can be taken, and what there is to take it in.

Weighty priority lists are prepared, revised and, toward the end, sometimes flaunted. Ammunition, food, medium artillery and medical supplies are the first things unloaded. Heavy artillery pieces, and heavy non-amphibious tanks come next.

Baseballs, Ice Cream Later
In another convoy, reaching the beach one to three days after the attacks, will come more and better food, more tents and ammunition. About D plus 30 days a ship will come into the harbor with movie projectors, baseballs and bats, ice cream freezers and beer.

Stevedoring is a tough enough business when it's done at a nice peaceful port with the ship alongside a good firm dock. It's a nightmare when it's done on a strange beach, without docks, with such things as enemy shellfire and unrelenting surf to hamper operations. On some beaches, like Leyte and Lingayen, the big LSTs were able to push almost up to the shoreline and bulldozers were used to build earth ramps to their open bows. Supplies went ashore amazingly fast on those beaches.

But reefs and rocks and surf kept the big cargo landing vessels far away from such beaches as Attu, Kwajalein, Saipan, Guam and Peleliu.

In outline, that's the working side of hitting the beach, the unglamorous side from which many men have fled to carry rifles into the front lines. "It's tough to work as hard as men have to on beaches we hit."

What People Say

(International News Service)

GUAM—Maj. Gen. Curtis Lemay, chief of the 21st bomber command, on latest B-29 assaults in Nipponese homeland. "All the Japs have to look forward to is total destruction of their industries, cities and vital targets devoted to the war effort."

WASHINGTON—Sen. Arthur Capper (R) Kan., after studying army surveys on servicemen's post-war plans: "Apparently we have a small-business army overseas—more than that, it seems to be a small-town army."

NEW YORK — Vice-President Harry S. Truman: "With less than half the nation's production capacity we have supplied enough materials to wage a victorious war. Why can't we do the same thing to win the greatest peace the world has ever seen?"

WASHINGTON—Sen. Robert A. Taft (R) O., wants Gen. Douglas MacArthur at Washington deliberations on final destruction of Japan: "Adm. Nimitz returned to Washington and it seems to me MacArthur should be brought back."

Third Set Of Twins Is Born At Jameson Hospital In March

Ellwood City Girls Just Miss Being
Born On Hints And Dints
Man's Birthday

For the third time this month, twin births were recorded at the Jameson Memorial hospital, when twin girls were born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold E. Cooper of Ellwood City, and strangely enough, they just missed being born on the birthday of Fred L. Rentz, the Hints and Dints man, who is also president of The News company.

Had they arrived just a few hours sooner it would have been the first time that twins had been born on his birthday.

However, the matter of three sets of twins being born at the local hospital within a period of nine days has set a record for multiple births at the hospital, which will probably never be equalled.

Even the cat which inhabits the hospital laundry has entered into the spirit of the occasion, last week giving birth to quintuplets.

On March 4, twin girls were born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rossi of R. D. 2, Ellwood City, and on March 6, twin boys were born to Mr. and Mrs. William Donaldson of 712 Carlisle street.

L.C.U.S. Group Has Installation

Important Session Conducted In St.
Lucy's Auditorium By Catholic
Sodalists

Installation of new officers took place at the meeting of the Lawrence County Union of Sodalities, Sunday afternoon in St. Lucy's church, with Rev. Fr. Albert M. Inteso, director in charge.

President, Margaret Naples; vice-president, Rita Leonardo; recording secretary, Margaret Vallely; treasurer, Helen Rycaj; corresponding secretary, Helen Crudell; committee chairman, Eucharistics; Dorothea Donegan; Our Lady's, Nancy Beshero; Catholic Truth, Barbara Mariacher; Social Life, Josephine Stoga; Publicity, Angeline Venditto.

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament closed the services in church, with Father Inteso as celebrant; Rev. Fr. Sebastian Ippolito, assisted.

President Margaret Naples conducted the meeting afterwards in the meeting rooms, and Rev. Fr. Charles D. Galati, gave the opening prayer.

Dorothea Donegan, of the Eucharistic committee spoke on future plans for a pilgrimage in the local Catholic churches, sometime after the Lenten season. Nancy Beshero of Our Lady's committee announced World Sodality Day, May 13, in St. Paul's Cathedral.

Barbara Mariacher of the Catholic Truth committee read a paragraph composed from titles of pamphlets, Angeline Venditto of the publicity committee distributed news sheet, "Sodalite."

Father Inteso spoke briefly on the pilgrimage, which is being planned.

Social Life committee gave a skit honoring Catholic Fathers day on March 19, which is also the Feast of St. Joseph. Those taking part were: Josephine Stoga, Viola Tuscano, Betty Sansoni and Frances Cunningham.

Charlotte Leonardo spoke on the union bowling sessions.

Priests who attended the meeting as guests were: Rev. Fr. Charles D. Galati, of Hillsville; Rev. Fr. William M. Pasarik, of St. Michael's; Rev. Fr. Sebastian Ippolito, of St. Lucy's; and Rev. Fr. Elias G. Nader of St. John the Baptist church.

Father Inteso closed with prayer. St. Lucy's Sodalists served dainty refreshments later. May 6, is the meeting at the New Castle hospital.

Ladies Of R. P. Church Will Give Reception

Ladies of Mrs. J. M. Blackwood's and Miss Martha Dodds' Bible classes of the Reformed Presbyterian church, Oak street, will hold a reception for the ladies of Oak street vicinity Thursday evening at 7:30 in the church.

There will be a program of entertainment in charge of Mrs. E. A. Crooks.

The music will be under the direction of Mrs. M. W. Martin, wife of the pastor of Rose Point R. P. church.

Mrs. W. G. Wilkins, state secretary of the W. C. T. U., will make an address.

Mrs. A. C. Gardner will lead the devotional period. Refreshments will be served by the social committee, Mrs. C. E. Tindal, chairlady.

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Over Two Million Apply For Licenses; Deadline Is April 1

PITTSBURGH, March 13.—(INS)—Applications for renewal of Pennsylvania 1945-46 automobile license plates have already been received from more than two million passenger car and truck owners in the state, according to a report from the Pittsburgh Motor club. The new single license plate, to be displayed on the rear of the car, may be put on the car on or after March 15, but the tag must be displayed by the April 1 deadline. The regular license fee, according to the motor club, is now a flat ten dollars for all passenger cars.

SPOTLIGHT Of Today

DANZIG

Danzig, site of the first shots fired in World War II, today lay within shell range of Soviet armies and within sight of new era in its checkered, thousand-year history.

A vital port on the Baltic which has figured in the conflicts of eastern Europe since the middle ages, Danzig was not only due for capture by the Russians but also faced a future outlined at Yalta. At the Crimea conference it was decided that the erstwhile free city was to

become a part of Poland, a transfer which will mark the eleventh change in its sovereignty since 1150 A. D.

Standing at the mouth of the western arm of the Vistula, Danzig was mentioned as an important town as early as 997. It was held at different times by Pomerania, Poland, Brandenburg and Denmark and after 1308 it prospered under the Teutonic Knights. The fires and storms of war swept through it in the 17th and 18th centuries as well as in the 20th.

It was a free city twice before the Versailles treaty declared it a free city again, a status which represented a compromise between the Polish government's demand to have it incorporated in Poland as the most convenient port for that country and the peace-makers' reluctance to place its 96 per cent German population under foreign rule. Danzig has been a Nazi U-boat base during this war, it has been

bombed by the RAF but compared with other European cities it has been relatively untouched by modern war until now.

Requests Place For Veterans' Spokesmen At Peace Conference

HARRISBURG, March 13.—(INS)—A resolution memorializing Congress to reserve places at the peace table for representatives of all branches of the armed services was before the House today. The recommendation, approved by the Senate, advocated a full voice for veterans' spokesmen in deciding "final adjustments for future world peace." The proposal was sponsored by Sen. Frank W. Roth (D) Berks.

WANTS TO LIMIT TRAINS TO THIRTY MILES IN CITIES

HARRISBURG, March 13.—(INS)—The year 1945 may be the age of speed, but Rep. George F. Dougherty (D) Delaware, apparently

wants to slow things down in some communities.

He introduced a bill in the House which would not permit railroad trains to exceed 30 miles an hour when passing through Pennsylvania's third-class cities.

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FEED PAYMENTS WILL BE GROUPED

Farmers Advised By Local Conservation Office That Payments Will Be Made For 3 Months

Advice was given today by Doris L. Fulkman of the Lawrence County Agricultural Conservation Association that the government has announced that dairy feed payments for the first three months of the year, January, February and March, will be grouped and that payments will not be made for the same until later.

Farmers who have received notice to send in their statements for the two-month period of January and February, are advised to hold them until they have their figures for March, and to present them all together.

A subsidy of 80 cents per hundredweight is paid to assist in the extra cost of feed for dairymen.

Books Can Help Garden Success

Now Is Time To 'Read Up' And Plan For Summer's Victory Garden Yield

Indications are that this year to an even greater extent than for the past several years, victory gardeners are counted on to make a noticeable contribution to the nation's food supply. This is the season when victory gardeners peruse the catalogs (many early birds have already ordered their seeds) and make plans for the summer's garden.

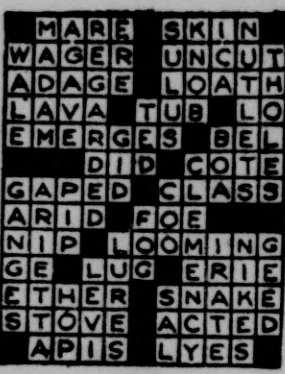
And before planting starts is the time when reading up about garden-making can do a lot toward making the garden yield its best come summer time. At the public library you may consult or borrow any of the following books. Others are also available. Ask at the desk.

Food Gardens for Defense, Kains
Gardening for Good Eating, Fox
Grow Your Own Vegetables, Dempsey
A Manual of Home Vegetable Gardening, Coulter
10,000 Garden Questions Answered, Tenney
Five Vegetables Anyone Can Grow, Robbins
Victory Gardens—Burdet.

Buttons are an article of dress of modern civilization. Savages employed strings to fasten their clothing together. The Greeks and Romans also employed strings and girdles.

DAILY CROSSWORD

- ACROSS**
1. Talk indiscreetly
 5. Allowance for waste
 9. Tear apart
 10. Long-eared rodent
 11. Desert animal
 12. Circles
 14. Intact
 16. Guido's low-est note
 17. Editor (abbr.)
 18. Solemn promise
 19. A wing
 20. Falsehoods
 22. Scrutinize
 23. Turf
 25. Strange
 26. Skein of yarn
 27. Discover
 28. Metallic rock
 29. Spasmodic twitch
 30. Aurnum (sym.)
 32. Mulberry
 33. One-handed drinking vessels
 36. River (It.)
 38. Eat away
 39. Cows
 40. Money-drawer
 41. Finishes
 42. Auction
- DOWN**
1. A burned mark
 2. Leg
 3. Affirm
 4. Dear to the heart
 5. Tossed
 6. Shower
 7. Sea-eagle
 8. Arranged like tiles
 11. Hint
 13. Endure
 15. Island in Aegean Sea
 19. Tart
 20. Narrow roadway
 21. Vex
 22. Coin (Jap.)
 23. Young hog
 24. Martial
 25. Small gates
 27. Organ of motion (fish)
 29. Biblical weeds
 30. Muddle
 31. Habit
 33. Mind
 34. Melody
 35. List
 37. Storage place



Yesterday's Answer

34. Melody
35. List
37. Storage place

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Lt. Ralph Davies Wounded In France

Fairmont Avenue Soldier Suffers
Bullet Wound Of Jaw, Message Received Here States

Word has been received by the wife and parents of Second Lt. Ralph K. Davies of 512 East Garfield avenue, stating that he is getting along nicely after having received a gunshot wound of the jaw in action against the Nazis on February 3.

Lt. Davies, who was a research chemist with the H. J. Heinz Co. before entering the service, had trained in the chemical warfare branch and was commissioned on August 26 at Camp Davis, N. C. He went overseas last November and was assigned to service with the infantry.

In a recent letter home, he stated that he is getting along well and has received splendid treatment in the army hospitals he has been in in France, having been on the operating table six hours after being wounded. The bullet which struck him fractured his jaw and came out his neck.

His wife, Mrs. Virginia Davies, daughter of Dr. Percy D. Standley of Union, N. J., and little son Geoffrey returned to Union last Friday after visiting Lt. Davies' parents.

Small Boy Hurt In Atlantic Avenue

Clifford Daniel, 7, of 134 Oakland avenue, Union township, was in the New Castle hospital today having been taken there after having been hit by an auto reportedly operated by Warrant Officer Robert Langyel, 4 Mahoning avenue in Atlantic avenue, near Oakland, at 5:20 p. m. Monday. The boy was dazed and also suffered an injury to a leg. According to the State Police inquiry, Daniel ran against the fender

Pfc. G. H. Kronstad Is Wounded In Germany

Mt. Jackson Soldier Suffers Serious
Wounds Of Back, Parents Learn In Recent Messages

Mr. and Mrs. Gudrun Y. Kronstad of R. D. 7, Mahoningtown, residing at Mt. Jackson, have received word from the war department that their son, Pfc. Gudmund H. Kronstad, suffered serious wounds of the back in the fighting in Germany on January 21.

Pfc. Kronstad has been in service since March, 1944, and went overseas in September. He has been awarded the combat infantryman's badge for good conduct in action.

Talk, the basis of face powder, has important war uses.

Escapes Injury Overseas 35 Months, Hurt In Cleveland

CLEVELAND, O., March 13.—(INS)—Sgt. John Amenhauser, 36, of Philadelphia, who served 35 months overseas without injury, on Monday was the victim of an unusual accident which left him temporarily pinned between a taxi and a pole.

Police said Amenhauser, who suffered fractures of both legs, was paying his fare when another automobile skidded into the rear of the cab.

Mine Workers To Take Strike Vote

WASHINGTON, March 13.—(INS)—The United Mine Workers union today pledged its cooperation in an

effort to conduct the strike poll among the nation's soft coal miners without any interruption in war-vital coal production.

As the national labor relations board speeded preparations for the ballot March 28, a spokesman for the UMW expressed complete agreement with the NLRB's objective of handling the huge vote without any loss of work.

"We will cooperate in every way possible to this end," the spokesman asserted.

TWO EVENTS FOR UNION STUDENTS

Finishing off their six weeks' tests today, Union high schoolers are planning to relax at a skating party tomorrow evening, and later in the week, at a dance.

The skating party is being sponsored by the ninth grade class, but is open to the whole school, while the dance on Friday evening is being sponsored by the sophomores.

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- 8:30—Theatre of Romance
- 9:00—Inner Sanctum
- 9:30—This Is My Best
- 10:00—Service to the Front
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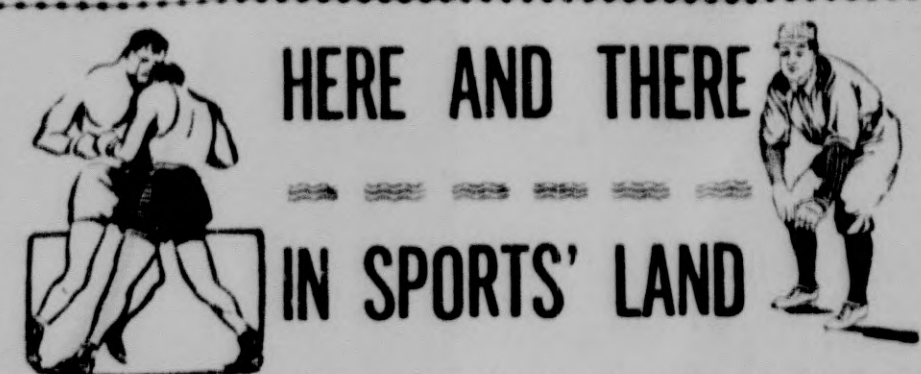
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Wampum High Wins Tri-County Tournament



LAWRENCE COUNTY Sportsman's Association, its directors, the Lawrence County Council of clubs and Northwest division of Federation of Sportsmen's clubs are on record as favoring the use of motors, not to exceed six horsepower on the Pymatung. They believe the motors will prove a boon to fishermen and that they will not injure fish life.

A fisherman in a row-boat, far out, if caught in a storm, might drown. Further, there is no intention of those who favor motor boats to invade the bird sanctuary or spawning grounds. The position of the Lawrence County Sportsman's Association and its directors, has been set clear in a statement submitted by Secretary Harry Helmick as follows:

"Since the proposal to allow motor boats on Pymatung Dam has aroused a great deal of interest and brought forth considerable criticism, the directors of the Lawrence County Sportsman's Association desire to make known the reasons why this move has been supported by the association, as well as the Lawrence County Council of clubs, and the Northwest Division.

"This proposal has been opposed on the ground that motor boats would cover the lake with a film of oil, that wildlife would be driven out, the lake area commercialized, and the wild life sanctuary invaded. Certainly no persons are more interested in keeping Pymatung in its natural state than the sportsmen. The lake has been advertised and promoted as a boon to fishermen, but it has not produced for fishermen in any manner comparable to other lakes in the state. Probably the fish are there, but the fishermen have great difficulty in locating them. The lake is really dangerous for row boats since it is so large, and such a boat caught far from shore in a storm, and in the hands of unskilled oarsmen, is in a difficult and dangerous situation, a situation that a small motor could easily take care of.

"What has been said of fishing applies with almost equal truth to hunting. Through the purchase of fishing and hunting licenses, the fishermen and hunters of the state make possible the stocking of such places as Pymatung with fish, and to a certain extent the maintenance of its wild life, and they feel that the lake should be regulated so as to yield the largest return on that investment consistent with the great purpose of keeping the Pymatung Lake area a place for nature lovers.

"It is our conviction that the proposal to use motors of six horsepower on the lake will be a boon to the sportsmen and at the same time will not conflict with the purpose of those who desire to see it kept as a wild life sanctuary."

At 8 o'clock tonight members of the association will assemble in Neshaunock Hall, V. P. W. 315, East Washington street. After the meeting has been called to order, the minutes read and approved, members (and also those not affiliated) who wish to donate fishing equipment for the use of soldiers at Deshon hospital annex will do so. Next on the program will be an address by Nick Cassillo who has fished here & there. No doubt Nick will spin some interesting true stories of rod and gun. And for those who like to eat, there'll be a lunch, according to the secretary.

While the sportsmen are meeting there, there will be another aggregation of sportsmen in session at the Cathedral range. They compose the New Castle Revolver club. They plan to start two new classes in basic firearms school. Incidentally it might be reported that the New Castle pistol shots defeated the Metropolitan police of Youngstown last week, 1380 to 1358. Secretary Charles Schweinsberg reported that P. P. Stull, a member of the Ohio team, blocked off his revolver sight then scored 92 of a possible 100 hits. Tomorrow night the New Castle club will shoot against the same team in Youngstown. The third match will be at the Cathedral range.

New York ball writers call Branch Rickey, Dodger chief, "Mahatma". Leo Durocher is reported considering a return to active players status. . . . Of the three players who reported for first practice in Washington Nats camp, Dutch Leonard, Roger Wolff and Al Evans, only Evans is under 30. . . . He's 28. . . . The Dodgers may open the season with a 17-year-old kid, Tom Brown, at short. . . . Ken Burkhardt, Columbus pitcher purchased by the Cardinals, won 15 and lost 9 last season. . . . 44 candidates turned out for New York's first baseball practice. . . . Roy Henshaw, Tiger hurler recently traded to Buffalo, had a perfect record with the Bengals last year. . . . He won none and lost one.

Lt. Carlos Ratliff, former playing manager in the Mountain States League, will coach the Iowa Pre-Flight school baseball team this season. . . . Ernie Andres, former Indiana U. basketball star and later third baseman with the Louisville team, is now a lieutenant in the Army and coach of a service cage team. . . . Cookie Lavagotto, ex-Dodger infielder, is baseball coach at the Alameda, Calif. Naval Air Station. . . . Pic Joe Gordon of the Army Air Forces is stationed at Hamilton Field, near San Francisco. . . . Lt. Comdr. Mickey Cochran is stationed "somewhere" in the Pacific.

Seek To Clarify Exhibition Games

Frick And Harridge Will Go To Washington For Conference With ODT Officials

CHICAGO, March 13.—(INS)—President Will Harridge of the American League said today he would join Ford Frick of the National League in a visit to Washington Thursday to obtain further clarification in respect to exhibition games during the spring training season.

The two presidents are expected to confer with Col. J. Monroe Johnson, director of the Office of Defense Transportation, on their previous trip to Washington several weeks ago. Harridge and Frick volunteered to eliminate all exhibition games during the regular season, except those played in military camps for the benefit of service men. This cancelled the all-star game, among others.

Question Arises
The assumption at the time was that exhibition games on home grounds during the training season were permissible, but in the last few days the question has arisen whether the ODT is willing even for these contests to be played. This uncertainty resulted in the decision to ask another conference with the Washington authorities.

So far as the American League is concerned, most of the 94 games scheduled for the spring training season were to be played on the practice field of one or the other of the contesting teams.

Rose Avenue Tops Mahoning, 12 To 4

Rose Avenue School's rampaging Indians continued in the Elementary School championship quest yesterday afternoon with a stunning 12 to 4 defeat of the Mahoning school quintet, at the Rose avenue court.

Wednesday, Lincoln-Garfield will battle Oak street at the Rose avenue floor, it was announced. Rose Avenue will play Thaddeus-Stevens school on Thursday, their toughest foes, and the winner will play the Highland school team on Friday. The finals are set for next Monday at Franklin High floor.

Junior Church Results Monday

Three games were played in the Junior church basketball league at the "Y" last night. The St. George team won by forfeit from the Croton Methodists, the First U. P. won from Trinity 30 to 11, and the First Baptists trimmed the Central Presbyterians 45 to 13.

The games for Wednesday in the league are as follows:
6:30 p. m.—Third U. P. vs. Epworth Methodists.
7:00 p. m.—Highland U. P. vs. First Presbyterians.
7:30 p. m.—Second U. P. vs. First Christians.

Virgil Davis To Direct Pirates

PITTSBURGH, March 13.—(INS)—Coach Virgil "Spud" Davis today was slated to put the Pirates through their opening paces at Muncie, Ind., beginning Thursday, pending the arrival of Manager Frankie Frisch.

Frisch, in a telephone call to President Bill Benswanger, said his leg injury would prevent his accompanying the club to the opening of spring training, and named the veteran catcher to substitute for him. The old "Fordham Flash" expected to join the Bucs by a week from Thursday, however.

Racing Measure Is Presented In House

HARRISBURG, March 13.—(INS)—Legalized horse racing and pari-mutual betting in Pennsylvania under the supervision of a three-member commission was proposed in a bill before the house today and backed by five Philadelphia legislators.

Commissioners would receive \$5,000 a year each while each major track would have to pay a \$25,000 fee before receiving state sanction. Wagering would not be legal off track premises, under the proposed measure.

Spencer Is Winner Over Joey Peralta

DETROIT, March 13.—(INS)—Leon Spencer, Detroit lightweight, today added another upset victory to his record after defeating Joey Peralta, seasoned Arizona Mexican, in a ten round battle last night.

Peralta was credited with only one round, the second, Spencer winning eight, while one was even. The Mexican was a 2-1 favorite.

A crowd of 2,120 paid a gross gate of \$4,249.

Dozen Cubs Train At French Lick

FRENCH LICK, Ind., March 13.—(INS)—Spring training finally was on a regular basis for the Chicago Cubs today, flood waters having receded from the playing field. The skinned portions of the diamond were dried out and smooth and all that remained was for a few more players to show up. Manager Charley Grimm had only a dozen to send through their paces yesterday.

Burt Shotton To Join Tribe Today

LAFAYETTE, Ind., March 13.—(INS)—Coach Burt Shotton and a few other tribesmen were expected to arrive at Lafayette today to augment the handful or so who yesterday inaugurated the spring training camp of the Cleveland Indians.

Manager Lou Boudreau explained that he would be several days late in arriving at the camp because of the illness of his daughter in their Harvey, Ill., home.

Lt. Clair Hess, former Penn State wrestler, is currently on a tour of American war plants with six other paratroopers who escaped a German trap at Bastogne last December.

FAIR or FOUL By LAWTON CARVER INS Sports Editor

NEW YORK, March 13.—Mayor Fiorello (Little Flinger) LaGuardia and an assortment of war-time fumble-fumbleers loosely known as prizefighters have sent New York gamblers on the run in the general direction of the poor-house.

The mayor's plainclothesmen and policewomen put the clutch on you these nights if you so much as show a dollar bill in Madison Square Garden. The fighters are unwittingly collaborating in this drive against the betting craze by failing to perform in keeping with odds arranged by the price-makers.

When the cops nail you now in the process of making a bet they cart you off the premises to the can. If you are unable to raise \$100 in bail at the moment you stay in the can.

Sporting Touch
It lends a sporting touch to the situation to know that besides picking the winner to make any money you also had better transact your business out of sight and earshot of the sleuths. But it is so inconvenient and sometimes costly.

And the fighters simply haven't been cooperating with the price-makers.

BY FRANK BECK

BY HAROLD GRAY

Night Baseball Gets Green Light

Clark Griffith Calls On President Roosevelt, Says Night Baseball Okayed

WASHINGTON, March 13.—(INS)—Clark Griffith, owner of the Washington Senators, Monday conferred with President Roosevelt and indicated afterward that the President favors continuance of night baseball this year.

Griffith paid his annual call on the President and gave him an annual pass to the Senators' games in the Nation's capital. He invited the President to attend the opening game on April 16 and throw out the first baseball.

May Throw First Ball
Griffith said the President told him that it was possible that he might be able to accept the invitation this year.

"Do you think he is in favor of night baseball this year?" Griffith was asked.

"Oh, yes," he replied.

Griffith also declared that the question of night baseball had been taken up with the Office of Defense Transportation and had been given the green light.

St. Louis Browns Hold 'Pep' Practice

CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo., March 13.—(INS)—Manager Luke Sewell of the St. Louis Browns scheduled another pep practice session today for his small band of hopefuls, Pete Gray, the one-armed outfielder from Memphis in the Southern Association, drawing the most attention.

Sewell was hopeful of another American League pennant even with the uncertainty of what material will be available when the race gets under way.

Expect Connie Mack At Athletics' Camp

FREDERICK, Md., March 13.—(INS)—Considering the draft and edicts of the War Manpower Commission, the 18 players on hand today for the Philadelphia Athletics at the Frederick spring proving grounds was something of an accomplishment for the team.

Thirty-three in all are under contract and are expected to join the squad soon. Connie Mack, just returned from a sojourn in California, is slated to make his appearance at McCurdy Field tomorrow.

NEW YORK, March 13.—(INS)—Officials of the National Intercollegiate Basketball Invitational Tournament to open in Madison Square Garden March 17 Monday announced pairings for the eight teams entered.

On opening night, Tennessee will face Rhode Island State while Bowling Green, second seeded in the tournament, meets Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute of Troy, N. Y.

Two nights later, DePaul, top seeded, faces West Virginia as St. Johns of New York meets Muhlenberg.

The winners of the four games will meet in the semi-finals March 21 with the final scheduled for five days later, March 26.

Announce Pairings For Floor Tourny

NEW YORK, March 13.—(INS)—Officials of the National Intercollegiate Basketball Invitational Tournament to open in Madison Square Garden March 17 Monday announced pairings for the eight teams entered.

On opening night, Tennessee will face Rhode Island State while Bowling Green, second seeded in the tournament, meets Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute of Troy, N. Y.

Two nights later, DePaul, top seeded, faces West Virginia as St. Johns of New York meets Muhlenberg.

The winners of the four games will meet in the semi-finals March 21 with the final scheduled for five days later, March 26.

BY FRANK BECK

BY HAROLD GRAY

Two 18-Year-Olds To Play With Senators

COLLEGE PARK, Md., March 13.—(INS)—Another pitcher and first-baseman swelled the roster of the Washington Senators today as Manager Ossie Bluege was forced to cut the length of workouts due to cool weather.

President Clark Griffith, who got a green light from President Roosevelt yesterday for night baseball, reported that Eddie Butka, 25-year-old first sacker, and Alfred Rossi, 18-year-old semi-pro pitcher, would join the team.

The Nats, meanwhile, prepared to shift two training games to military posts. They will play the Boston Braves at Fort Belvoir, Va., March 26, and the Buffalo Bisons on April 13 at Fort Meade, Md. They are also scheduled to meet the Philadelphia Athletics on April 12 at Meade.

St. Vitus Carded For Benefit Game

St. Vitus Will Go To Pittsburgh To Take Part In Deshon Benefit Attraction

(Special To The News)
PITTSBURGH, March 13.—When the St. Vitus basketball champions of New Castle come to Pittsburgh next Wednesday, March 14, to tangle with the 1943-44 Pittsburgh Catholic Youth League champions St. Joseph's from Bloomfield, as part of the triple-header feature of the Veterans Hospital Benefit Fund Association attraction at Duquesne University floor.

It will be the first time that a Catholic Youth winner from Lawrence County meets up with an Allegheny County champ.

St. Vitus Keyed Up

Those New Castle boys will have their shooting irons out for a win over their "big-city" brothers. The St. Vitus team will be sporting "Keen-eye" Norman Conti who has scored 241 fathoms in eight league contests. During one contest Conti called 56 points while his team mated piled on enough to total 107 for the game. The Lawrence County champions have been crowned champs five straight since 1940.

The New Castle Catholic Youth League champions, with a record of 397 points in eleven games, wanted to come to Pittsburgh to take part in the Veterans Hospital Benefit Fund attraction since the Deshon Hospital Annex is located in New Castle. They feel a game with the Pittsburgh champions would engender good feeling and still help the cause along to have the service boys at Deshon outfitted for baseball season.

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In the consolation game last night the fans, some 700 or 800 of them that packed every available inch of space in the Union gym, got the surprise of their lives when the scrappy Union High team avenged two former setbacks at the hands of Shenango's Wildcats by winning, 40 to 24.

Eddie Marich Outstanding
It was Wampum's "big three", Eddie Marich, Guy Bennett and Jim Grinnen who spelled the doom of the Bessemer Cementers, this trio flipping in all but two of the Wampum points. Marich doing outstanding work by ringing 21 points himself. Marich was the tourney's top scorer with 40 points in two games. It was the final appearance in a Wampum lineup for the two great stars, Bennett and Grinnen; also Joe Scala and Porter. Marich will be back next year. So will Kanagy.

The Coach Butler Hennon juggernaut rolled to victory in the final two periods after a determined Bessemer team had held the famous Indians to a 2 to 8 first period and 19 to 15 at the half. Bessemer wilted in the third stanza, getting but two points, to 13 for Wampum, the third period ending 32 to 17 in favor of the champs. The final session was simply a case of Wampum protecting their lead.

Coach Joe Weresuk of Bessemer used the majority of his subs in the closing minutes. Wilbur Anderson, playing his final game for Bessemer, was the top scorer for his team with 10 points, and was about the whole Bessemer defense outside of young Medich, who besides playing a fine floor game, added seven points.

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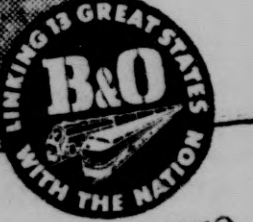
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Bent Bomb Fins, Holes In Runways Occurred Where GI's Worked, Says Corporal

By JANE COCHRAN
(U.S. Staff Correspondent)

LETTERMAN GENERAL HOSPITAL, San Francisco, March 13.—The Japanese, who put their American prisoners of war at work on Japanese Philippine airfields and other military installations in direct defiance of all rules governing the treatment of prisoners of war, got more than they bargained for from the Yank heroes of Bataan and Corregidor.

They got gasoline for their planes unloaded at Clark field—but the gasoline supply always seemed a little short. The Americans unloaded bombs that the Japs attached to their own planes—but many of the bombs never quite hit the targets. Holes in runways were diligently repaired by the Americans—but they mysteriously reappeared in the same spots. And the accident rate among the planes at Clark field, one of the main Jap Philippines replacement bases, was strangely high.

"And do you know," said Corp. Carl Carlsson today, with a twinkle in his eye, "The Japs never once caught wise!"

Carlsson, a soft-spoken New Yorker from the Bronx who saw 30 of his group of 100 men die from Jap treatment on the five-day march from Bataan to San Fernando, on the infamous death march to Camp O'Donnell, worked 18½ months at Clark field in a labor battalion under Japanese guards.

Back home in America today, resting up at Letterman hospital in San Francisco and still ill with a stomach ailment caused by the quality of Japanese food, Carlsson related his bitter memories of three years of Japanese-created hell.

"When I left there in November of 1943," Carlsson said, "there was a junk pile of 143 Jap planes which had cracked up at Clark field. We claimed at least 100 of them."

What Sugar Did To Gasoline

"We were near a sugar refinery and got plenty of sugar at first," he said. "And what sugar does to gasoline! The Japs forced us to unload the heavy gasoline drums. They were really too heavy for us to lift and we couldn't help dropping some of them. And there always seemed to be sharp rocks on the ground where the drums hit. Gasoline also evaporates when the caps on top of the cans are 'accidentally' unloosed."

"Japanese bombs come with their fins attached," Corp. Carlsson continued. "They expected two Americans to unload a crate containing a 500-pound bomb—bombs not yet fused. We figured out a way to unload them, by sliding them to the ground. They always hit fin ends down. And a bomb with its fins bent can't be aimed straight."

Carlsson was in one of the last groups to leave Bataan, in company of 100 men who were almost all ill with malaria or dengue fever.

Needless Murder

"During that march I saw the needless murder of soldiers who were sick and couldn't keep in line. I saw the burial of soldiers alive. Americans and Filipinos alike. I saw the bayonetting and shooting of our soldiers by the Japanese," Carlsson said.

"Two men died of suffocation in our box car during the trip to Capas, from where we marched to O'Donnell," Carlsson said.

Camp O'Donnell, Carlsson described simply as a "big-st." He applied for position on a work detail and was sent with a group of technicians to Clark field. Carlsson was adept at electrical work.


"Our duties were to handle bombs, ammunition and gasoline," he said. "A direct violation of the Geneva convention. And what's more, our barracks were only 500 yards from the main hangars! But we were lucky—the Japs were regularly old army men, and far less brutal than the Koreans and coolies in the draft army, and they treated us fairly well—if we did our work. We did more than our share."

Illness sent Carlsson to Bilbid prison in Manila, where the medical care was good and the food atrocious, and then to Cabanatuan, where everything was bad.

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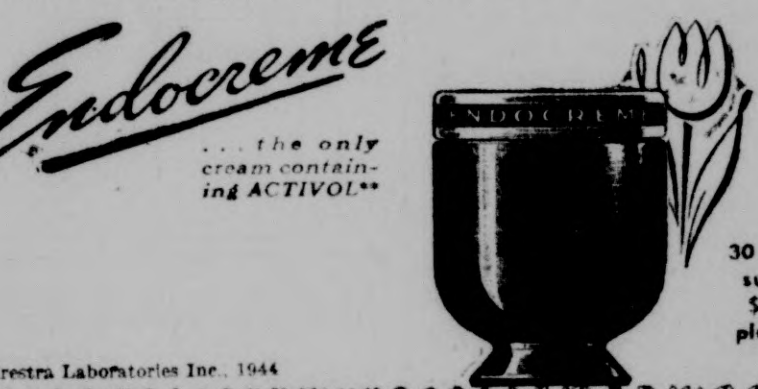
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Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams of 107 Smithfield street have received word from their son, Jack Williams, that he has been promoted to first lieutenant. He is stationed somewhere in Germany, and attached to the 12th armored infantry with the seventh army. Lt. Williams has been overseas 16 months and in combat since D-day in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Reese of 612 Spruce street have received word from their son, Staff Sgt. Jack Reese, attached to the air force, that he has been transferred from the Dutch East Indies to the Philippines area.

T-4 Robert Stockman is now in the Philippines having participated in the landing on Luzon with the Amphibious Engineer force. T-4 Stockman is a son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Stockman of The Harbor. His wife lives in Youngstown.

Pfc. Edward A. Dean has returned to Smyrna air base, Tennessee, after a 15-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dean, of Schenley avenue, East New Castle.

Cpl. William A. Drown, son of Mrs. Anna Drown, of 405 South Walnut street, has graduated from the AAF gunnery school with the class of '44 and was a member of the Pennsylvania State Guard before entering service with the Army Air Force.

Lawrence E. Gukey, stationed with General Hodge's First Army in Belgium, has been promoted to the rank of private first class, according to word received here by Mrs. McKinley Shaffer, R. D. 5, aunt of Pfc. Gukey.

Pvt. John (Jack) E. Tindall with the U. S. Air Force at Liberal, Kansas, is spending a 15-day furlough with his wife, Mrs. Alice Tindall and daughters, R. D. 4, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Shaffer, R. D. 5.

Pfc. and Mrs. Charles G. Shaffer, New Castle, Delaware, spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Shaffer of R. D. 5, this city, and his brother, Pvt. John E. Tindall home also on furlough at present.

Pvt. Henry Toman, son of John Toman, Wampum, is serving as a telephone operator for the Army in Calcutta, India. In service since November, 1943, he has been in the India-Burma theater since October, 1944. In civilian life he was a tube tester.

Betty Jane Cracraft, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph S. Wainer of Walnut street, Bessemer, was graduated recently from the Naval Training school, (Yeoman-W), on the Iowa State Teachers college campus, Cedar Falls, Iowa.

M. Sgt. Lawrence L. Dwyer Jr., of the Seventh Armored Division, has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service on the Western Front. He has participated in the campaigns in Northern France and Germany. M. Sgt. Dwyer is the son of Mrs. Sylvia Dwyer of 725 Croton avenue.

Carl A. McIlroy, petty officer 3-c, who has completed several months of active duty in the South Pacific, has concluded a 21-day furlough at his residence, 716 Reynolds street. He has left for Seattle, Washington, to await reassignment, accompanied by his wife who will remain there for 30 days visit.

Cpl. Alex Gillespie of the R. C. Air Force is on furlough visiting with his wife, Mrs. Donna Gillespie, of 108 Richelleu avenue. Cpl. Gillespie is stationed in the Thousand Islands, and has been in the Canadian service for 4½ years.

Cpl. Elmar A. Tuuri, 903 Dushane avenue, is now with an ordnance company of the Sixth Army Group in France, which operates strategically located roadside shops where minor repairs are made on trucks hauling supplies to the U. S. Seventh Army front. Complicated jobs are towed to the shops by big wreckers, while roving squads often go out to do on-the-spot first aid work on carburetors, ignition, gas lines and brakes.

Michael T. Derrico, 1209 Clearview avenue, was recently promoted to the rank of corporal in the Army, according to his commanding officer at Fort Knox, Ky. Corporal Derrico is currently assigned to an ordnance automotive maintenance company. He is the son of Joseph Derrico and is a veteran of 27 months in the South Pacific area.

Pvt. W. E. Gibson of the Medical Corps has been transferred from Camp Barkley, Tex., to Camp Crowder, Mo., according to word received by his wife, Mrs. W. E. Gibson, of R. D. 5.

Pfc. Frank Fundoots, West Pittsburgh man now serving with a field artillery battalion of the 30th Infantry Division somewhere in Germany, has the job of setting the fuse on one of the big guns used by his outfit to drive back the Germans. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Marape, Fourteenth street, West Pittsburgh, he wears the Good Conduct Medal, and battle stars for the Normandy, Northern France and Germany campaigns.

Donald P. Glitch, Fireman 2-c, U.S.N.R., is now stationed at the Atlantic Fleet's amphibious training base in Little Creek, Va., where he is training for duty aboard an LSM, 208-foot tank carriers which can speed through the ocean and roll their way machines directly onto the enemy's shores. In the Navy since last June, Glitch is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Glitch, 222 East Falls street. His brother, William, is also in service.

Pfc. Wilbur C. Rodgers, husband of Mrs. Blanche Rodgers, 709½ Croton avenue, and Pvt. Claude H. Cumberland, son of Mrs. Ethel Cumberland, 23 Round street, are two of the members of a field artillery battalion which has been shelling Highway 9, connecting Bologna and Ravenna in Italy. German guns fire more than 2,000 rounds of ammunition at this battalion in a single month recently. Pfc. Rodgers serves as cannoneer, and Pvt. Cumberland serves as bugler.

Cpl. George Barkett, 502 East Reynolds street, is one of the ordnance men who go into the thick of it as soon as their landing ship nosed into the beach at Leyte. Gaping holes were torn in the vessel's side by direct hits, and since then, his outfit has followed the hard-hitting 24th Infantry Division with makeshift workshops, often within range of enemy fire. The men repair weapons, jeeps, tanks, and, one, the clippers of a Filipino barber.

Harry E. Barnes, husband of Mrs. Mary Haddock Barnes of New Castle, has been promoted from the rank of specialist first class to that of lieutenant junior grade in the U. S. Navy, according to an announcement from Naval Air Facility at New Cumberland, Pa.

Pfc. Vincent F. Pagliaro, son of Mr. and Mrs. Beni Pagliaro, 220 East Division street, landed in the Philippines with the XIV Army Corps, as a member of an engineer combat battalion. Pfc. Pagliaro is a veteran of 28 months of service overseas.

Edward Knobloch, EM 2-c, of Washington, D. C., where he is stationed, has returned there after spending the past week-end here. He is the husband of Mrs. Betty Knobloch and son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Knobloch, Chestnut street.



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